

## Ex-GI Makes Home in the Waldorf



Mrs. Eleanor Cox prepares son, Jimmy, two, for bed in room at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York while her ex-GI husband, Richard Earl Cox, holds (Richard, Jr., one, Cox, a \$63.50-a-week Army civilian employee, walked into the hotel and registered in a \$12.60-a-day room in his "solution" of a housing situation. He says he'll pay \$40 a month for the room and send New York city the bill for the balance.

Swift and Tragic  
Consequences Seen  
If Greek Aid Stops

Situation Is Not Hopeless,  
Marshall Reports to  
Committee; Asks  
\$275,000,000

Washington, March 15 (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall told Senators today that if the United States stops aid to Greece the consequences will be "swift and tragic."

Marshall testified behind closed doors for two hours before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the administration's request for \$275,000,000 additional military aid for Greece and Turkey.

After the session the committee released a statement he had given it.

In it, Marshall said that "serious as it is, the Greek situation is not without hope."

But he warned:

"The danger remains that the Communist-dominated countries of Europe will increase their pressure on Greece just as they have in other directions in Europe. It is the least of the totalitarian leaders that democracy are incapable of timely and decisive action."

"Should we fail to continue our efforts, the consequences would be swift and tragic and they would not be confined to Greece."

Girl Scout Drive  
Meeting Tonight

Judge Cashin Will Be  
Speaker; Campaign  
Is for \$12,000

The crystal room of the Governor Clinton Hotel will be the setting for the kick-off meeting of the Kingston District Girl Scout finance campaign tonight. The Ulster County Girl Scout Council officially starts its drive for \$12,000 today and will continue through the 31st.

Judge John M. Cashin will be the speaker at the program, was the statement made by James E. Martin, campaign chairman of the district. Mrs. J. Haviland Barley, chairman of the Kingston District Girl Scouts and co-chairman of the drive for this section, is looking forward to a large gathering promptly at 8 o'clock. The program will start with the invocation by Rabbi Herbert L. Bloom, after which a moving picture on girl scouting will be shown.

In Ulster county at the present time, there are 1,434 registered Girl Scouts whose programs are many and varied and in order to continue these programs and the wonderful vacation at Camp Wendy in Wallkill, this sum of money must be raised. An interpretation of the need for the money will be presented to the group in a short talk given by the Misses Barbara Horton, Beatrice Newkirk and Margaret Howard, members of Troop 53, who will give the living example of what girl scouting may mean to them.

The Rev. J. Dean Dykstra will speak of the responsibility of the sponsoring group to the Girl Scout troop and its appreciation to them. One of the high spots of the evening will be a vocal solo by the Rev. John M. Brown and other guests of the evening will be Mrs. Ashton H. Hart, commissioner (who, with Kenneth Davenport, acts as overall chairman of the drive. Mrs. Charles Davis, deputy chairman of the Kingston District

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2,000 Attend Final Night  
Of City's Industrial Show

Sickler Is Held  
Following Crash  
Pole and Fire Hydrant  
Damaged When Hit  
by Truck

A Central Hudson Gas & Electric Company pole and a fire hydrant in front of 41 Cedar street were snapped off when struck by a 1946 rack body truck about 12:30 a. m. today, the police reported.

Greene Sickler, Jr., 30, of 200 Geddes avenue, who police said was the driver of the truck, was held by police on charges of driving while intoxicated and operating a motor vehicle without a chauffeur's or operator's license.

The truck, owned by Joseph Yerry of 121 Clinton avenue, received damage to its right front fender, the racks on the right side, and a steel tool box.

Patrolmen Leonard Ellsworth and Ralph Seisim, who with Patrolman Francis Fagan, investigated the accident, reported the truck was proceeding west on Cedar street at the time of the accident. They reported that when they arrived, the truck had been parked and the driver was inside Amelia Tavern, 107 Cedar street.

Electric and telephone wires were taken down with the pole, and the Central Hudson company reported that the electricity was off at numbers 41, 42, and 46 Cedar street. The hydrant being broken off above the valve, no water service, employees of the Water Department said today.

In city court today, Sickler entered pleas of innocent on both charges, and the case was adjourned until Thursday, March 18. Bail was set at \$100 for the charge of driving while intoxicated and \$25 for the unlicensed driver charge. He was placed in the Ulster County jail in lieu of bail.

Approves Fuel Measure  
Washington, March 15 (AP)—President Truman today approved legislation to carry on the nation's program for development of synthetic liquid fuels.

Under the bill, which is another three years, experiments in extracting oil and gasoline from oil shale is going on in Colorado and Wyoming. A new plant to make gasoline from coal will go into operation at Louisiana, Mo., this year.

Treasury Receipts  
Washington, March 15 (AP)—The position of the Treasury March 11: Receipts, \$193,568,326.40; expenditures, \$93,523,622.28; balance, \$3,715,140,288.99; customs receipts for month, \$17,774,580.53; receipts fiscal year July 1, \$29,234,994.317.82; expenditures fiscal year, \$24,158,518,823.22; excess of receipts, \$5,076,476,171.60; total debt, \$24,065,227,439.28; decrease under previous day, \$35,308,364.41; gold assets, \$23,083,244,743.32.

House Considers Bill  
Washington, March 15 (AP)—Safely through the Senate, the \$5,300,000,000 European aid program need without a pause to deal toward quick challenges in the House. The pressure for speed is on—to bolster western Europe with American billions against Communism and collapse.

Splits in 3 Directions  
Washington, March 15 (AP)—The House Banking Committee split in three directions today on rent control. Blocs of Republicans and Democrats for different reasons assailed legislation approved by the committee. Present federal controls expire March 31.

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Total Attendance Is  
More Than 7,000;  
to Be Repeated,  
in 1949

A crowd estimated at 2,000 attended the final night of the city's industrial and mercantile exposition, "The Kingston Area on Parade," in the municipal auditorium Saturday bringing the total attendance above 7,000 for the five-day show, and keynoting the scope of next year's effort by the Kingston Lions Club and local merchants.

Lawrence J. MacAvery, chairman of the Lions Club committee which planned the exposition, today thanked the merchants, members of the club, the public and all who contributed to the success of the show.

General reports from the merchants with display space in the show, MacAvery said, indicated that the merchants ended the exposition with an enthusiasm which will guarantee a bigger and better effort next year.

The commercial value of the affair and its general effect on the city surpassed all expectations, the chairman stressed, and there is little doubt as to its becoming a permanent annual event.

The entertainment featured through the week and the various awards made each night were well received by the public, and an entertainment highlight was the performance given Saturday night by Fred Romer, the international pickpocket, who mystified the audience from start to finish.

The paid attendance Saturday was 1,988 and the Friday attendance was 1,800. The opening night drew a crowd of 1,000 and the attendance mounted each night from then to the closing Saturday.

Will Get No Help  
Washington, March 15 (AP)—The State Department said today that if Italy goes Communist she will get no further economic aid from the United States.

Between now and July Mr. Truman must pick a successor to Clinton Anderson. Anderson will quit as secretary of agriculture as soon as Congress ends to run for the Senate in New Mexico.

Some administration lieutenants were said to have suggested that the President might cool off the southerners bucking his civil rights program by picking an outstanding agricultural leader from the south to succeed Anderson.

But Mr. Truman was reliably reported to have vetoed this as an obvious—and probably ineffective—gesture that might boomerang outside the south. The guessing—and it is only that—is that the office will go to a midwesterner.

Attorney General Clark is the only southerner now serving as a member of the President's official family.

Seven southern governors, meanwhile, issued a new week-end blast here against the President's plea to Congress for enactment of anti-lynching, anti-poll tax, anti-lam Crow and anti-job discrimination laws.

The governors said in no uncertain terms they plan to see to it that their states deny their

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More Than Third of 400,000 Men Quit  
To Support Lewis' Demand for Pensions;  
Walkout Hits Coal Digging in 8 StatesP.S.C. Will Hold  
Bus Line Hearing  
At Albany April 1

Fairview-Lucas Route to  
Be Subject of Session;  
Permanency Is  
Sought

Whether the operation of the Fairview-Lucas avenue bus line in this city should be made permanent will be the subject before a public hearing to be held by the State Public Service Commission in Albany on April 1. Notice of the hearing has been received in a letter from the Public Service Commission to Corporation Counsel James G. Connelly.

The Fairview-Lucas avenue route has been operated under temporary permits for about six years by the Kingston City Transportation Corporation. The current permit granted by the P.S.C. will expire March 20.

Thomas J. Gadd, vice-president of the bus company, said this morning that the operation of the line would be continued by the company voluntarily between the March 20 expiration and the time that the results of the public hearing are made known. He said he had not been informed yet whether the company will oppose the making of the line permanent.

A resolution advocating making the line permanent was unanimously passed by members of the Common Council in their regular meeting on February 3. The resolution, offered by Alderman James E. Martin of the Twelfth Ward, was forwarded to the Public Service Commission, and it was as a result of that action that the hearing was set.

Alderman Gadd said today he "definitely will be present at the hearing." He also said he plans to invite several other citizens of the ward to go with him to Albany, and will take with him the petition containing about 1500 names of users of the line, which he presented to the council prior to the resolution of February 3. Corporation Counsel Connelly will also be present for the hearing, Connelly said today.

T.W.A. Refuses Any  
Palestine Reservations

New York, March 15 (AP)—Trans World Airline has refused to accept reservations direct to Palestine after receiving word that one of its planes had been fired upon near Jerusalem.

T. W. A., the only American airline operating into Palestine, reported the incident yesterday.

It said W. F. Judd, pilot of a DC-4 scheduled to arrive at La Guardia Field tonight, called from Athens, Greece, that tracer bullets were fired at the plane after it took off from Lydda early Saturday.

There was no report of any injury.

Passengers seeking reservations for Palestine here yesterday were told that T.W.A. would take them only as far as Athens or Cairo, Egypt, but would book space for them to continue on another line.

The governors said in a report: "Our inquiry has satisfied us it is virtually the unanimous will of the people of the southern states to take every possible effective action within their power, not only to prevent the enactment of the proposed legislation, but also to defeat those who have proposed it and any others advocating it."

The report was signed by Governors Fielding Wright of Mississippi, Beaufordester of Texas, James E. Folsom of Alabama, Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, Ben Laney of Arkansas and M. E. Thompson of Georgia. It was concurred in by Gov. William Tucker of Virginia, who proxy Senator Byrd (D-Va.), helped draft it.

McGrath said that, in effect, the governors were serving notice they will not support the party nominee unless the platform is drafted to their satisfaction or the nominee repudiates an unsatisfactory platform.

"This most undemocratic proposal can only be dealt with by the convention itself," McGrath said.

On the Republican side of the

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Meyers Is Given 20-Month Term  
For Inducing Lamarre to LiePalestinian Battle Enters 3rd  
Day in Desert; 36 Are Dead

Jewish Forces Are Reported to Be Driving On  
Toward Besieged Settlement of Gath;  
Heavy Rains, Mud Slow Progress

Jerusalem, March 15 (AP)—The fiercest battle yet waged in the sands of southern Palestine was reported in its third day today with Jewish and Arab fatalities already 36.

Mired by mud and slowed by driving rains, Jewish forces were said by a Haganah informant to have driven a wedge to the aid of the beleaguered settlement of Gath.

The death toll in the battle so far, according to a Haganah version quoted by the Palestine Post, is 28 Arabs and eight Jews.

Haganah is the militia of the Jewish agency. The Palestine Post is an English-language daily published by a Jewish firm.

Haganah sources said forces rushing to lift the Arab siege of Gath had blasted the municipal building, post office and eight stores and houses in the Arab

village of El Faluja. This is about 20 miles northeast of Gaza in the Negev—southern desert.

The Palestine government estimated damage from the El Faluja bombings at \$120,000.

Arab-Jewish clashes over the weekend ranged from the southern desert to the northern domain claimed by Fawzi Bey Al Kaukji's Arab volunteer army.

Such clashes have been frequent since the United Nations Assembly recommended last Nov. 29 that Palestine be split into Jewish and Arab states.

A Jewish agency source said meanwhile Haganah sometimes resorts to force to keep Jews from 17 to 45 in the Holy Land for "duty in wartime."

Haganah sources in Tel Aviv reported "the greatest onslaught" on Arab Jaffa from Jewish Tel Aviv lasted five hours yesterday

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Bidault Declares Europe  
Is Reduced to 16 NationsTaft Is Unhurt  
In Maine Crash

Plane Comes Down Upon  
Ice-Covered River;  
Brewster Along

Vassalboro, Me., March 15 (AP)—A plane carrying U. S. Senator Robert A. Taft (R-Ohio) on a campaign swing through Maine crashed today on the ice-covered Kennebec river but the Republican presidential candidate escaped without injury.

Two others with Taft in the single motored Stinson—Senator Owen Brewster (R-Me.) and Pilot John T. Clark—were not hurt.

Governor Horace A. Hildreth said the plane's engine quit five minutes after the takeoff from the Augusta airport, about 10 miles distant.

The plane was slightly damaged. Taft, Brewster and Clark walked about half a mile with some difficulty through deep snow to the Augusta-Waterbury highway. Brewster then telephoned Hildreth.

Mrs. Taft was on her way to Bangor, where Taft had a speaking engagement, in Governor Hildreth's automobile.

The senator was intercepted here and the senator continued on to Bangor with her.

Hildreth said the Senators were making the 70-mile trip by air to inspect the old town airport, 15 miles north of Bangor.

The army's Dow Field in Bangor is being closed to civilian traffic, he said, and Taft and Brewster were interested in the alternative field because of Senate action due on it soon.

Mrs. F. A. Lind, proprietor of the Colonial Inn, which the two senators reached in their enforced

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Sees Boycott of Aid  
Plan 'Fearsome';  
May Include  
Spain

Paris, March 15 (AP)—French Foreign Minister Georges Bidault told the Marshall Plan Conference today that "Europe has been reduced to the 16 nations here."

He told the delegates opening conferences on the European Recovery Plan that "the rending apart of Europe" by countries boycotting the Marshall Plan had become fearsome.

Russia and her satellites have spurned participation in the Marshall Plan, for which the U. S. Senate early Sunday voted \$5,300,000,000 for its first year.

At the present session proposals are expected for inclusion of Spain and western Germany under the Marshall Plan, spreading the program over all western Europe—right to the Russian demarcation line.

Bidault, as host, welcomed the delegates in the name of liberty. He said:

"The qualified representatives of 16 countries are proclaiming today by their presence that they solemnly confirm their will to work out their own salvation, while insuring liberty, through their friendly and confident co-operation and by aid of the United States."

British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin presided. U. S. Ambassador Jefferson Caffery attended. Bevin said the British and French would present a resolution "on Germany." Observers took this to indicate a delegation from western Germany would be invited to attend as observers.

In Frankfurt, Gen. Lucius D. Clay, the U. S. military governor, said Great Britain, France, Bel-

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Federation of Men's Clubs  
Holds Communion Breakfast

Declaring that the world today is experiencing its 34th year of the war and that no one can tell when we will be at war. We are less prepared for shock now than we were at Pearl Harbor. We have made war unthinkable before the peace has been made workable. We were tricked into a panic for demobilization."

"We are at war with Russia now," the speaker said, "insofar as we must stop anti-God and un-Christian conquest of the earth. We must cry a halt to the slavery of hundreds of millions. Russia has stolen from every conquered or liberated area, and that includes just about everything that is movable."

While reminding the assemblage that headquarters for militant evil has been shifted from Berlin to Moscow, and that our friction

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Appeal Will Be Made  
but No Bail Allowed  
Pending Review  
of Case

Washington, March 15 (AP)—Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers today was sentenced to 20 months to five years in prison.

A federal jury convicted him last Friday on three counts of inducing a former business associate to lie under oath to a Senate committee.

Judge Alexander Holtzoff, when imposing sentence, said the 52-year-old retired general was guilty of a "very grave and serious offense." The maximum sentence he could have imposed was 30 years.

Meyers stood erect and apparently unmoved, as Judge Holtzoff told him:

"Bennett E. Meyers, it is the judgment of this court that you be imprisoned in an institution to be designated by the attorney general of the United States for a term of not less than 20 months and not more than five years."

Meyers was immediately led from the court room by federal marshals. After the jury's verdict last week, attorneys for the wartime airforces deputy purchasing chief had announced they would appeal the verdict. Holtzoff at that time said he would not allow bond while the case was being appealed.

Just before Holtzoff passed sentence, Robert T. Bushnell, attorney for Meyers, pleaded that the court consider Meyers' "outstanding record."

Bushnell said:

"I say the punishment this man has already gone through—by being pilloried from coast to coast like a Benedict Arnold—is a punishment greater than it is in this court's power to impose."

Subornation to Perjury  
The formal accusation against Meyers was "subornation to perjury." He was charged with persuading Elmer Lamare to lie to Senate investigators and cover up Meyers' wartime operation of a plane parts company from which the government alleged that Meyers received more than \$150,000. Lamare was the president

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Holy Name Holds  
Annual Breakfast

Siena College Speaker  
Warns of Threat  
of Communism

Reminding his listeners that veterans who paid the supreme sacrifice in World War 2 are now looking down on us and wondering whether we will safeguard the freedom for the preservation of which they gave their lives, the Rev. Benjamin J. Kuhn of the Holy Name of Mary, a pioneer of Communism in his address to about 400 men of the Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's Church Sunday morning during the annual Communion service and breakfast.

During the 8 o'clock Mass at which Father Kuhn was celebrant, Holy Communion was distributed. Following the service breakfast was served in the church hall.

"We in America are free men," Father Kuhn declared, as he urged his listeners to treasure their freedom and to treasure their faith. "Cherish and protect your liberty, be ready to die for it if necessary. Under Communism we would no longer be free men. We would be subjugated to a state of abject slavery under Godless dictators," he added.

Father Kuhn reminded the men that we in the United States must not be confused with the so-called democracy as so "glibly preached by the Reds. The red doctrine of Stalin is not democracy; it represents brute force. It leads men to destruction by taking away from them the principles of Christianity and by depriving them of the liberty and freedom which we count as our most precious heritage."

"Must Stop Communism"  
Declaring that there are political crackpots at large in this country today who are seeking high office, Father Kuhn warned that these opportunists are sowing the seeds of Communism. "Watch your step," he cautioned, "and exercise your privilege as

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Those Who Take Part  
in Stoppage Report  
Action Backs Head  
of U.M.W.

Steel Is Affected  
U. S. Steel Says Nine  
of 14 Pits Idle; Also  
Hits Republic

Pittsburgh, March 15 (AP)—More than one-third of the nation's 400,000 soft coal miners quit work today to support the demand of John L. Lewis for miner pensions.

An early tabulation showed more than 155,000 miners idle in eight states as follows: West Virginia, 60,000; Kentucky, over 40,000; Pennsylvania, 27,800; Illinois, 13,000; Ohio, 6,500; Alabama, 6,000; Indiana, 2,000; Tennessee, 300.

The U. S. Steel Corp. reported nine of its 14 western Pennsylvania pits were closed, with 7,000 miners idle. The corporation expected its coal output would drop today to about 20,000 tons, one-third of capacity.

The Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. reported, all its Pennsylvania and West Virginia mines were closed, and 4,600 miners idle.

Republic was another steel corporation affected, with three Pennsylvania mines down. The output of steel company-owned pits is used in making fuel for steel.

Commercial mines, too, whose production is sold on the open markets, began to shut. The giant Pittsburgh Coal Company reported at least nine of its mines closed. Owners of some independent mines expected the movement to spread.

Back Up Lewis  
Miners said the walkouts backed up demand of Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, for \$100 monthly pensions for miners.

Two hundred and ten miners reported this morning to a Frick pit at nearby Bridgeville but returned home. The firm's mine at Muskegon, Pa., a few miles distant, did not open. The Bridgeville pit produces about 1,800 tons daily; the Muskegon operation about 5,000 tons.

The Bridgeville diggers milled around the mine lamp house but made no attempt to obtain their working lights.

One of the miners "threw away his water"—the traditional signal of a work stoppage in which the miner pours his day's supply of drinking water on the ground—the men walked away toward their homes.

Lewis sent word to union locals Friday that the operators "dis-honored" the 1947 wage agreement by not agreeing to pay pensions out of the union's welfare fund. He asked the locals to meet and inform him of their reaction to his stand.

The bushy-browed leader gave the first hint of possible trouble over pensions when last February 2 he served notice on the operators he felt free to take "independent action." He never elaborated on what he meant—and didn't elaborate either last Friday when he asked his rank and file for their "reaction" to his latest action.

The current contract does not expire until June 30 but it contains the meaningful phrase that "miners will work only so long as they are 'able and willing.'"

Lewis has demanded \$100 monthly pensions for miners 60 years of age or more who have 20 years' service in the pits. The operators contend it's too expensive. At present the welfare fund, made up of 10-cent-a-ton royalty on coal paid by the operators, contains \$30,000,000.

A U. S. Steel spokesman said steel production would be affected within ten days, adding its stockpiles were lower than usual. Five of its mines were closed recently for three weeks because of severe winter conditions.

Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. said a mine shutdown would not affect them immediately.

Urges Greater Efforts  
New York, March 15 (AP)—The Right Rev. James P. DeWolfe, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Long Island, returned yesterday from Texas, where he recuperated from an illness. He urged redoubling of efforts in behalf of the diocesan campaign he initiated to obtain food and clothing for the needy of London. The bishop and his wife arrived at Grand Central Terminal on the Twentieth Century Limited. They reside at Garden City, N. Y. Bishop DeWolfe noted that "tons and tons of food and clothing have already been collected throughout the entire diocese" in the campaign which opened March 1 and ends March 21. He urged "all to double their efforts so that we may bring it to the successful conclusion it deserves."

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## Negligence Case Occupies Court

McGrath Asks Damages for 1946 Accident

A negligence action arising out of a collision between a tractor, owned by Tony Cataldo of New York, and driven by William Gray, and a car owned and operated by Eugene A. McGrath of New Paltz, was taken up today in Supreme court before Justice Schriek and a jury.

Herbert Wieneke, Eugene A. McGrath and his brother James McGrath bring an action for negligence against Cataldo. They seek damages for injuries and for damage to the McGrath car.

On the evening of the accident McGrath was proceeding from

Kingston to New Paltz when his car was allegedly struck by the tractor of Cataldo. Plaintiffs claim the tractor skidded on wet pavement.

Gray was employed by Cataldo driving the tractor and trailer carrying apples from Clintonville to New York. The defendant denies guilt and claims Gray was "joy-riding" with the tractor at the time. Cataldo contends his tractor and trailer was driven to Clintonville on Saturday for a load of apples. The trailer was not loaded fully and Cataldo claims he returned to New York after allowing Gray to take the tractor to Gardiner to visit his grandmother. It was intended to complete loading next day and then proceed to New York.

Cataldo alleges that he is not guilty of negligence on the theory that Gray had taken the tractor without permission for a trip from Gardiner to Kingston. Cataldo claims he gave Gray explicit instructions for the evening, telling him to go to Gardiner and not to use the tractor for any further trips.

It is the contention of the defendant that Gray took the tractor in company with two others started for Kingston. The accident happened about midnight.

Peter H. Harp and N. LeVan Haver appear for the plaintiffs and Andrew J. Cook for the defendant.

Jurors not on the case were excused until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

## Held for Action Of Grand Jury on Charge of Assault

Jack Davis, 47, colored of Cedar Hill was held for the grand jury following arraignment Saturday night before Peace Justice Ralph E. Clark, Town of Marlborough on a second degree assault charge.

Davis, according to the state police of the Highland sub-station, is charged with inflicting wounds on the face, body and neck of Mattie Mae Leaks, 35, colored, of Marlborough with a penknife during an altercation sometime after 2 p. m. Saturday.

The assault, the police said, was the apparent outcome of a lovers' quarrel as the two were walking along Route 9-W near Marlborough. The woman was treated by a doctor in Marlborough and Davis was taken to the county jail following arraignment.

**Strikes Hit Palace**  
London, March 15 (AP)—Strikes hit Buckingham Palace, Parliament and government buildings today. Building maintenance workers walked out, depriving the occupants of heat and hot water. Elevator men later joined them. Fourteen stokers failed to report for work at the Palace. The King, Queen and Princess Margaret spent the week-end at Windsor and were to reach Buckingham Palace later in the day. A total of 1,200 engineering attendants, stokers, ventilator men and handmen struck. They demanded wage increases from the equivalent of \$19.50 a week to \$22. Their unions were not supporting the strike.

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## HOME BUREAU

Lomontville Unit  
The Lomontville Home Bureau will meet Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Henry Rygh for the regular monthly meeting. Lesson two on "The World We Live In" will be given by Mrs. Edwin Shumate, citizenship leader.

**Good Food Supply**  
Washington, (AP)—Government estimates indicate that the U. S. food supply is sufficient to provide 3,400 calories per capita at the retail level.

**Six Men Are Killed**  
Louisville, Ky., March 15 (AP)—Six workmen were killed and at least 26 others were injured here today in an explosion at the big plant of the International Harvester Farm Equipment Company. The cause of the explosion had not been determined hours after the blast demolished a 150 by 75 foot brick and steel building in which engines made in the nearby main plant were tested.

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## MacReady to Give Proceeds of Show To Child Welfare

Woodstock Artist to Hold Showing, Sale at Mollie Smith Galleries

William H. MacReady, Woodstock artist, will Tuesday open an exhibition of between 20 and 30 historical etchings at the Mollie Smith galleries in Woodstock. These etchings will be sold and all but the gallery cost and a small sum for matting and paper will be contributed to the Ulster County 40 and 8 Society for the Child Welfare work of the local Child.

The exhibition will continue from March 16 through April 15 and the gallery will be open daily from 3 to 6 p. m. and on Tuesday evenings from 7 to 9 p. m. The Sunday hours will be from 3 to 6 p. m.

Included in the display will be a series of etchings by MacReady and many local historical buildings including the Old Dutch Church, old Dutch stone houses in Kingston, New Paltz and vicinity as well as an etching of the Katsbaan church, the old Perrine's covered bridge at Rifton and a series of historical spots from Boston and vicinity.

MacReady, a veteran of World War I, who served with the 113th Infantry, 29th Division, has resided in Woodstock for 27 years, taking up his residence there following discharge from army hospital after the war because of disabilities suffered in service. Formerly a musician, MacReady took up etching first as a hobby while hospitalized. Later he made this his avocation, and became successful, gaining considerable fame for his historical etchings.

MacReady is a member of the Woodstock Post, No. 1026, American Legion and a member of the Vets. No. 391, 40 and 8 Society of Ulster county, of which Wesley O'Brien of Glenford is Chief de Gare.

Walter J. Miller, local attorney, who is Grand Garde de la Porte of the State 40 and 8, has been notified by MacReady of the exhibition at Woodstock and informed that the proceeds from sales will be given to local welfare work. Last year the National Society 40 and 8 donated \$50,000 to the American Legion for its Child Welfare program.

## The Joiners News of Interest to Fraternal Organizations

Kingston Lodge, 10, F. & A. M., will hold its regular stated communication Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in Masonic Temple, 51 Albany avenue. The first degree will be conferred of a class of five candidates. Refreshments will be served.

**Six Men Are Killed**  
Louisville, Ky., March 15 (AP)—Six workmen were killed and at least 26 others were injured here today in an explosion at the big plant of the International Harvester Farm Equipment Company. The cause of the explosion had not been determined hours after the blast demolished a 150 by 75 foot brick and steel building in which engines made in the nearby main plant were tested.

**Good Food Supply**  
Washington, (AP)—Government estimates indicate that the U. S. food supply is sufficient to provide 3,400 calories per capita at the retail level.

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## Local Death Record

Funeral services for William Ludwig, who died March 10, were held Saturday, at 2 p. m., from the Kukul Memorial Funeral Home, 167 Tremper avenue. Services were conducted by the Rev. David C. Giese, pastor of Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer. Burial was in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

Mrs. Emma Schnabel Detmold died suddenly this morning at her country home, 7 Green street. She was the widow of William Louis Detmold and a friend of Margaret Gray Yates, also of 7 Green street, for many years. Funeral will be private. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn.

Mrs. Louise Martin Reid died at her home 61 Murphy street Sunday morning after a long illness. Her remains were removed to Jamaica, L. I., by the Henry J. Bruck Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held there Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Walter B. Cooke Funeral Home, 180-10 Hillside avenue. Burial will be in Lutheran cemetery.

Funeral services for Charles G. Krom, 62 Cedar street, who died March 11, were held Saturday at 3:30 p. m., from the Kukul Memorial Funeral Home. The Rev. Edward V. Winder, D.D., pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated. The services were largely attended and there were many beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in Montrose Cemetery. Bearers were Emil Estrand, Jr., Emil Estrand, Sr., Carl Estrand and Thomas Miller.

Mary W. Hasbrouck, wife of Arthur Hasbrouck, of 205 West Chestnut street, died in Kingston Sunday. Besides her husband, she is survived by a son, Seyverny Hasbrouck, and a sister, Anna M. Wolf of Kingston; and two grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the parlors of A. Carr and Son, 1 Pearl street, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment will be in Fairview cemetery, Stone Ridge. Friends may call at the funeral parlors this evening between 7 and 9 o'clock.

Edward S. Benson of 825 First street, Rensselaer, died today. He is survived by his wife, Mary Hardt Benson, two daughters, Mrs. Frances Nohlen and Mrs. Edward Cibus; and two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Carney and Mrs. Rebecca Scheffel, both of Kingston. Relatives and friends and B. of F. & L. E., 809, and I. A. of M. H., 1145 are invited to attend the funeral Wednesday at 11 a. m., from the Sherwood Funeral Home, 3 Partition street. Burial will be in the Mt. Marion Cemetery Wednesday at 2 p. m.

The funeral of Miss Caroline C. Konzert was held from the Jensen and Deegan Funeral Home, 15 Downs street, Saturday at 2 p. m. The Rev. Merrill C. Johnson, pastor of St. James Methodist Church, and the Rev. Lloyd Gilliland, a cousin of the deceased, officiated. Relatives and friends attended the service. The body was placed temporarily in the Wiltwyck cemetery receiving vault for later burial at the convenience of the family. The Rev. Mr. Johnson and the Rev. Mr. Gilliland conducted the service at the vault.

Miss Elizabeth B. Welting, 82, of Poughkeepsie, died Saturday night at the Bowne Memorial Hospital, Poughkeepsie, after a long illness. She was born in Warwick, N. Y., the daughter of the late Samuel C. and Harriet N. Wisner Welting. She had lived in Poughkeepsie for many years. She is survived by several nieces and nephews, among them being O. H. Bundy of Poughkeepsie. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 10 a. m. from the Pine Funeral Home, New Paltz. The service will be held at 2 p. m., at the Warwick Cemetery Chapel, Warwick, and burial will be in the Warwick cemetery.

Francis McMahon, a lifelong resident of Kingston, died at the Kingston Hospital Saturday after a long illness. He is survived by a son, Frank McMahon; a daughter, Mrs. Paul Otto, both of city; and by several grandchildren. The funeral was held today from the Scanlon Funeral Home, Lawrenceville street, at 9 a. m., and at 9:30 a. m., at St. Joseph's Church where a high Mass of requiem was offered for the repose of his soul by the Rev. John D. Simmons. Responses to the Mass were sung by the children's choir assisted by the organ and choir in the Frank Rafferty. Burial took place in the family plot in St. Mary's cemetery where the Rev. John Brown pronounced the final absolution.

Frank Ruiz, 46, of New Paltz, died late Saturday night at his

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## Late Bulletin

## Murphy Indicted On 141 Counts by U. S. Grand Jury

New York, March 15 (Special)—Edward P. Murphy, 32, of 144 Spring street, Kingston, who is allegedly charged with the misappropriation of about \$4,000 in government funds, today was indicted on 141 counts, each carrying a 10-year penalty, when he appeared before the grand jury.

According to the report, Murphy will be arraigned Wednesday before Federal Judge Henry W. Goddard in the United States District Court.

In addition to the jail sentence, if he is found guilty, the report said, Murphy will be forced to make good the value of the packages which he misappropriated.

Murphy was arrested Friday, February 15, by Post Office Inspectors R. W. Frank, M. O. Ogden and J. M. McGinn, following receipt of complaints of money missing from mails. Inspector McGinn said the complaints totalled about \$4,000.

home on the New Paltz-Kingston road. Mr. Ruiz was a barber by trade. He was born in Spain but had lived in New Paltz for the last 30 years. Surviving are his wife, Angeline Anderson, Ruiz's two sons, Frank and Anthony at home; a daughter, Marie Antonette, at home; his mother, two brothers and a sister who are living in Spain; and an uncle who resides in Long Island. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m., from the Pine Funeral Home, New Paltz. The Rev. Gerrett Willschlegler, pastor of the New Paltz Dutch Reformed Church, will officiate. Burial will take place in the New Paltz Rural Cemetery.

Funeral services for John H. Williams of 50 Rock street were held from the Henry J. Bruck Funeral Home, 27 Smith avenue, Saturday afternoon, March 13, at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. Herbert Kilgus, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, conducted the service in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends. While he reposed in the chapel completely banked with flowers his many friends called to offer their sympathy. Friday evening members of the Kingston Water Department also, in a delegation from the Strand Social Club called. Burial was in Montrose cemetery, where the Rev. Mr. Kilgus gave the committal. The bearers were Joseph McCardie, Walter Matthews, Thomas Graney, Ralph Williams, Michael Kline and John Czarnicki.

Mrs. Alice J. Hatfield died early Sunday morning at 538 Foxhall avenue. She was a former resident of New York city and for 21 years had resided in Kingston. The wife of the late Charles R. Hatfield, she is survived by a nephew, the Rev. James G. Robinson of Del Ray Beach, Florida; two cousins, Mrs. Emma MacDonald of Port Jervis and Mrs. David Hurt of Lodi, N. J.; three nieces, Mrs. Lillian Gillian of New York city, Mrs. Dewey Bell of Margateville and Mrs. E. J. Hager of Stamford, N. Y. Funeral will be held from W. N. Conner Funeral Home, 296 Fair street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Remains will be placed in the receiving vault at Wiltwyck cemetery. Burial at convenience of the family in Stamford cemetery, Stamford.

Kingston and Ulster county officials, leaders in business and industry, representatives of organizations and professions were among the 200 friends and associates who gathered in the W. N. Conner Funeral Home Saturday afternoon to pay final tribute to Arthur E. Thomas who died in Kingston Hospital Wednesday morning, March 10. Mr. Thomas was proprietor of C. M. Thomas & Sons printing establishment. So crowded was the funeral home that folding chairs were placed in corridors and rooms adjoining where the casket was surrounded and winged by floral pieces. The Rev. Merrill C. Johnson, minister of St. James Methodist Church, during the funeral service, spoke of the impressive personality, glad-some faith and constant optimism which characterized Mr. Thomas at church, at business and in the hospital. The Rev. Mr. Johnson also conducted the committal service in Montrose Cemetery to which place the long cortege was escorted by members of the Kingston Police Department in a radio car. Bearers were Ernest Magnuson, William Foster, John Whitney and Solomon Rind, employees of C. M. Thomas & Sons.

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## 4-H Popularity Contest Winners

Mary Saurer of Kysorike, Harry Hurley of Lake Katrine Win

Mary Saurer of Kysorike and Harry Hurley of Lake Katrine were the winners of the 4-H Club popularity contest sponsored by the Eastern Tractor Manufacturing Corp., 36 St. James street, as a feature of the Lions Club exposition, "The Kingston Area on Parade," it was announced at the final night of the show in the municipal auditorium Saturday.

County Judge John M. Cashin, presented the awards, which were a Gardenaid tractor and a complete set of implements to each of the winners.

A total of 2,511 votes were cast—1,956 for the boys and 555 for the girls. Harry Hurley polled 565 votes; Charles Relyea and Jimmy Winchell were second and third with 540 and 485 votes respectively. Mary Saurer was first among the girls with 165 votes and Jean Ronsa was runner-up with 94 votes.

The Gardenaid tractors and implements will be delivered to the winners sometime this week. The winners will also receive instructions in the use of the tractor and implements on Eastern's experimental farm in the spring.

## Search Is Made for Wife Of Simpson, Kelly Says

Efforts to obtain the whereabouts of Mrs. John L. Simpson, widow of John L. Simpson, waiter and relief bartender at the Governor Clinton Hotel, who died early Saturday morning, still failed to meet with success over the weekend, Coroner Ernest A. Kelly said today.

Immediately after the death of Simpson, Manager Raymond R. Gross of the hotel and Coroner Kelly made an investigation concerning the woman's residence but were unable to get any definite information.

Authorities of the New York Police Department have been notified of the search, it was said. Meanwhile, communications with a niece of Mr. Simpson in Marietta, Ga., and another niece and a nephew, have been made and all three will attend the funeral.

Funeral services will be held at the funeral home of Ernest A. Kelly, 111 West Chester street, Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. The body will be placed in the Wiltwyck cemetery vault. Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday between the hours of 7 and 9 p. m.

## Royal Arch Masons Plan Ladies' Night

Mount-Horeb Chapter, 75, Royal Arch Masons, will hold a ladies' night program Wednesday night at the Masonic Temple, 31 Albany avenue, starting at 8 o'clock. All Master Masons and their ladies are cordially invited.

An elaborate program has been arranged by High Priest, Excellent Companion Herbert Powell. The principal speaker will be the Rev. and Right Excellent Companion George Allen, sole grand lecturer of the Grand Chapter. Entertainment will be under the supervision of Excellent Companion Byron S. Chatham, who announces that the program will include vocal selections by Mrs. Roberta Gaddis of Kingston and Jules Ewig of Ellenville who appears every Saturday over Station WGNV, Newburgh.

Companion Samuel Scudder will be the accompanist for the selections at the piano and Companion Paul Zucca will lead in group singing.

"Sons of Liberty," a new technical film of the American Revolution, will be shown. Refreshments will be served following the entertainment.

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told police that the girl was injured when she fell on the ice on Main street while they were walking from St. Joseph's Church about 11:50 a. m.

## DIED

CARTER—In this city Friday, March 12, 1948, Anna F. Stokes, mother of Mrs. Clarece Maines, sister of Mrs. Arthur Butler, Mrs. Haik Chetajian and John Stokes, grandmother of Marilyn Maines. Funeral will be held from the late residence, 127 Pine Grove avenue, Tuesday morning, at 9 o'clock, and at St. Mary's Church, where, at 9:30 o'clock, a high Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment in the family plot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

BENSON—At Rensselaer, N. Y., Edward S. Benson of 825 First street, husband of Mary Hardt, father of Mrs. Frances Nohlen and Mrs. Edward Cibus, brother of Mrs. Gertrude Carney and Mrs. Rebecca Scheffel, both of Kingston. Relatives and friends and B. of F. & L. E. No. 809 and I. A. of M. H. No. 1145 are invited to attend the funeral Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock from the Sherwood Funeral Home, 3 Partition street. Interment in Mt. Marion Cemetery Wednesday at 2 p. m.

DETMOULD—Suddenly at her country home, 7 Green street, March 15, 1948, Emma Schnabel, beloved wife of the late William Louis Detmold and beloved friend of Margaret Gray Yates. Funeral private. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn.

HASBROUCK—In this city, March 14, 1948, Mary W., wife of Arthur Hasbrouck of 205 West Chestnut street. Funeral at the parlors of A. Carr & Son, 1 Pearl street, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Fairview Cemetery, Stone Ridge. Friends may call at the parlors on Monday evening between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock.

HATFIELD—In this city, March 14, 1948, Alice J. Hatfield, wife of the late Charles R. Hatfield. Funeral services from the W. N. Conner Funeral Home, 296 Fair street, Kingston, N. Y., Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Remains will be placed in the receiving vault in Wiltwyck cemetery. Interment at convenience of family in Stamford Cemetery, Stamford, N. Y.

MARTIN—At Kingston, N. Y., Friday, March 12, 1948, Emma D. Martin of Hunter, N. Y., Aunt of Miss Ella A. Martin, Miss Nellie C. Martin and Mrs. Archie Smith. Funeral services at the Lasher Funeral Home, Woodstock, Tuesday, March 16, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Maplewood cemetery, Jewett, N. Y., at the convenience of the family. Friends may call at the funeral home at any time.

SIMPSON—Suddenly in this city, Saturday, March 13, 1948, John L. Simpson. Funeral at the Funeral Home of Ernest A. Kelly, 111 West Chester street, Wednesday, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Remains will be placed in Wiltwyck Cemetery vault. Friends will be received at the funeral home on Tuesday evening between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock.

TERPENING—Entered into rest March 11, 1948, in New York city, Mrs. Wilhelmina Terpening (nee Mallock) widow of the late Frank Terpening. Relatives and friends are invited to attend a high requiem Mass at St. Jerome's Church, 138th and Alexander avenue, Bronx, on Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Friends may call at the Jensen & Deegan Funeral Home, 14 Downs street on Monday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9. The burial will take place in the family plot in St. Peter's Cemetery Tuesday morning at 10:30 a. m.

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## What Congress Is Doing Today

(By The Associated Press)

**Senate**  
Considers \$967,700,000 appropriation for White House and independent agencies.  
**Foreign Relations Committee** hears Secretary of State Marshall discuss additional aid for Greece and Turkey at closed session.  
**Labor** subcommittee meets privately to discuss various bills to

boost minimum hourly wage at closed session.

**House**  
Takes up rent control extension. Foreign Affairs Committee considers foreign aid program.  
**Senate-House Atomic Energy Committee** resumes study of labor-management problems in atomic plants.

**Supreme Court**  
Opinion day session.

**Opposed to Communism**  
New York, March 15 (AP)—Rabbi Benjamin Schultz, formerly of Temple Emanu-El, Yonkers, N. Y., announced yesterday the formation of the American Jewish League against Communism. Schultz, executive director, said one of the aims of the group will be "to turn the spotlight of publicity on the attempts of Communist agitators to exploit Jewish grievances for sinister and disloyal ends."

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## U. S. Observers See Rough Terrain in Greece



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## Bills Proposed in Legislature

Albany, N. Y., March 15 (AP)—New York's standby Residential Rent Control Law today needed only Governor Dewey's signature to remain on the statute books until mid-1949.

The Legislature, before adjourning early Saturday night, unanimously approved a one-year extension beyond the present expiration, next July 1.

The law, operative only when all federal rent controls cease, contains a new provision to protect tenants who agreed last year to 15 per cent rent increases in return for leases through 1948.

By terms of the federal law permitting the mutually-agreed upon increases, the housing accommodations involved are subject to no further control when the lease expires.

The state law, when operative, will freeze such rents at the 15 per cent-jumped rate. A similar provision probably will be in the new federal program, Assemblyman D. Mallory Stephens, author of the state law, predicted on the floor Saturday.

The Legislature also approved similar one-year extensions of the commercial and business rent control laws, effective in New York city only.

The Residential Rent Law was enacted first in 1946.

The Legislature, in an orderly adjournment rush Saturday, also approved the supplemental state budget of \$7,563,000, which raises 1948-49 total appropriations to a record \$808,669,103. The total will rise to \$812,445,383 if Governor Dewey approved about 25 other appropriations bills on his desk.

Both Houses also approved a proposed constitutional amendment to establish a two per cent

real estate tax limit for 52 upstate counties and 129 school districts, including those in cities of less than 125,000 population.

The same limit now applies to all cities and in counties containing cities of at least 100,000.

Other bills passed Saturday would:

Continue for two years, until July 1, 1951, permission for New York city and Nassau and Saratoga counties to levy a five per cent tax on pari-mutuel horse racing.

Authorize the state education commissioner to provide additional state aid for small school districts in which population has soared because of housing developments.

Validate New York city's rent control and eviction laws until March 1, 1949.

Abolish veterans' assistance committees and place all veterans' home relief and medical care under the Public Welfare Department.

Establish an Empire State Exposition Corporation to develop and operate the annual state fair, which will be revived this year.

Authorize school districts to build up reserve funds for future building construction.

Authorize cities to enact ordinances to abate dense smoke, dust or noxious gases.

**Gypsy King Is Ill In New York Hospital**

New York, March 15 (AP)—Steve Kaslov, reputed king of 10,000 Russian gypsies and one of several "gypsy kings" living in New York, is seriously ill at Memorial Hospital.

Scores of his subjects and admirers wait their turns to visit him daily.

Special detectives have been hired to handle the crowds—sometimes more than 100 a day—that have gathered since he was admitted to the hospital a week ago.

King Steve, reported to weigh 300 pounds, has campaigned for literacy among his people, and a few years ago established a coppermith's shop in the Bowery to aid his workmen.

This gypsy, grateful for the treatment accorded them and their king at the hospital, are said to have offered to renovate its pots and pans free of charge.

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## C.P.E.S. Asks Dewey Veto University Bill

Albany, N. Y., March 15 (AP)—The Citizens Public Expenditure Survey called upon Governor Dewey today to veto the bill to establish a \$200,000,000 state university system.

The private taxpayers' organization, in a letter to Dewey, said:

1. Authorization for a university should come, not from the legislature, but from the people through a constitutional amendment.

2. The people "have given the legislature no mandate" for the step.

3. The bill was passed within a week of its introduction "with almost no opportunity for public discussion of its provisions."

4. There is no indication "that any serious thought has been given" to financing the program.

5. The bill would alter "an educational policy as old as the state itself."

Walter O. Howe, executive vice-president, signed the letter.

The organization's opposition was directed only against the Feinberg-Steingut bill, which provides for a decentralized state university system and a 15-member temporary board of trustees to be appointed by Dewey and given "overall central administration" responsibilities.

Howe made no mention of the two companion measures. One authorizes establishment of a two-year, state-aided community colleges within a state university "master plan." The other would prohibit discrimination in the admission of students to non-sectarian and non-denominational colleges on grounds of race, color, religion and national origin.

The bills, incorporating recommendations of the Young Commission and introduced under bipartisan sponsorship, swept through the legislature last week.

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## Masaryk Testament to U. S. 'Get Tough Now With Russia'

### Late Czech Minister Said America Is a Giant, Reds Respect Giants

By HAL LEHRMAN  
Written for NEA Service  
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"Look, you fellows are just about beginning to realize your own strength. America is a giant, and Russia respects giants. If I were an American, I'd go all out for a tough policy toward Russia. That's the only way for you to keep her in line: get tough."

The speaker was Jan Garrigue Masaryk, Czech foreign minister—son of the founder of the Czech republic, Thomas G. Masaryk, and Charlotte Garrigue of Brooklyn, U. S. A.

The scene was his apartment in Cernin Palace, from which he hurried to his death from a second-story window on Wednesday.

Speaking frankly because of his remarks, so long as he lived, were off-the-record, Jan gave me what amounted to his political testament and his feelings regarding America's role in international affairs. The interview took place June 26, 1946, long before most Americans were talking about a tough policy toward Russia. His words today are a warning from the grave.

"We Czechoslovaks," he said, "aren't in the giant league. We can't get tough. All we can hope is that the Russians will know we are no more good as their friends than as their puppets."

(President Eduard) Benes and I are going to have our hands full with the local comrades. It'll be a hard fight all the way. We've got maybe a 50-50 chance."

Two weeks ago, when the Communists grabbed Czechoslovakia, Jan Masaryk lost his bet. Early Wednesday morning, Masaryk lost his life. His tragic passing cancels the pledge of secrecy and "releases for publication" these notes of a conversation.

I had just arrived in Prague from a year and a half of reporting in eastern Europe when Jan talked with me. During all that time I had been watching the Communists and the Red Army operating in totalitarian style over half a "liberated" continent.

As soon as he could see me, I visited the Foreign Minister. I had known him well since the wartime years. Most of us correspondents called him Jan, because that was the kind of a man he was. The Czechoslovak people's pet name for him was Honza—Little Jan. He was tall and sturdy, but for them he was always old Thomas Masaryk's boy, and they loved him.

I told the Foreign Minister something of what I had seen. He listened hard, and then said:

"America is the only country left in the world that can make the Russians go slow. This war we've just finished is the first one you've really put your muscle into. Some of the things you guys accomplished were amazing. And you're finally beginning to understand that you are a great power. That realization is coming just in time."

"Don't worry about Czech feelings toward America. Disregard all the hollering in the Communist press. Don't pay any attention to the way I speak and the way I vote with the Soviet bloc at international meetings. What

### Red Consul Says War With U.S. 'Crazy Idea'

New York, March 15 (AP)—Yakov Lomakin, Soviet Consul General here, says talk of war between the United States and Russia is "a crazy idea" and "hysteria."

Leaving La Guardia Field yesterday for Stockholm en route to Russia for a vacation, he said "we Russians do not believe in war, and we do not want war. We want peace."

Asked about war talk, he declared "it is impossible. It must not be. It is hysteria. The people do not want it."

Lomakin said relations between the U.S. and the U.S.S.R. "must be improved," and he declared they can be, because the peoples of both nations want it that way.

else can I do? If I stood up against Russian policy publicly, it would be like belching in church. "But way down, deep down, we all love America. Ask General Eisenhower. When he came to Fraga on a visit recently, the ovation he got bowled him over. Right here in this room the General told me, with tears in his eyes: 'I've never had a reception

like this before. I wish my mother could have seen it."

"But you know," Jan went on, "we love Russia too. Not the Soviet Union particularly, but Russia. It's in our blood. We're instinctively pro-Russian. Why I was reading Turgenev before I'd ever heard of Shakespeare. My first governess was Russian. Right from the cradle I was taught to think of myself as a Slav. And the same goes for the rest of our people. We're never going to do anything to hurt Russia. I think the Russians know this. That's why I can live with hope. That's why I'm glad I survived Hitler."

Jan said he was willing to rely on Soviet "horse sense." He felt the Russians understood "they have everything to lose and nothing to gain by destroying our democracy."

"If the Communists get out of line here," he told me, "there will be a helluva lot of disorder. We won't take it lying down. There isn't a country in the world, including the U.S.S.R., that can profit from trouble here. The Russians realize that, with our technical equipment and ability, we can do a great deal for their economy. To build up our industries, we need peace and quiet. That's another reason I'm hopeful."

Jan Masaryk has found final peace—if not hope.

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## ECONOMY COMMISSION

Twelve men, six Republicans and six Democrats, are studying how to increase government efficiency, reduce the number of federal agencies, cut taxes. Known as the Hoover Commission because the former President heads it, the commission came into being through a law backed by both parties.

Congress is aware of Washington's agency expansion, its paralyzing duplication and staggering cost. To avoid the political bias and stalemate of previous investigating bodies, this commission's members were appointed by the President and speakers of both houses, in equal ratio from Congress, the executive branch and civilian ranks.

There are more than 2,500 federal bureaus, many over-staffed. Overlapping of activities are indicated by the following: 29 lend money; four examine banks; 34 buy land; 12 plan houses; 20 deal with construction and materials; 65 gather statistics. Congress has been told that if government affairs were in order, from seven to ten billion dollars could be saved in the annual over-all cost of federal business. This balance would be more than enough to meet the needs of a Marshall Plan, with a good bit left over for debt retirement and tax reduction.

The Hoover Commission is not to report until 1949, when this year's elections will be safely over. Therefore any recommended reorganization and economies will be a long time coming, but the tax-weary, bureau-burdened public is heartened to learn that a beginning at least has been made toward system and thrift in national affairs.

## MOLOTOV SPEAKS

A little-noticed but ominous item appeared recently in newspapers. At a London dinner party given three months ago by Molotov, he is reported to have stated that war was inevitable, adding it would not come for five years. The tale was repeated in the House of Commons by a member who had it from a friend, a guest at the dinner, given in connection with the foreign ministers' conference. Molotov is further reported to have forecast at this time the happenings, one by one, which have occurred since in Soviet expansion.

Americans are prone to ignore such tales, labeling them unofficial, lacking in authority. They prefer to avoid unpleasant subjects of this sort. They did so until Pearl Harbor drove them to alertness. Storm warnings have been rumbling for a long time. Even the highest in command deafened their ears, kept the public in ignorance as long as possible.

Storm warnings are up again. Military preparedness in a nation does not hasten calamity any more than health insurance with an individual brings sickness. Late events on the world stage are such that their import cannot be disregarded. The unheralded speech of Molotov should give us pause.

## NO MORE SNAPS

The student who, upon entering college, carefully selected his courses with the idea of leaving plenty of time for social life has disappeared from the campus, according to college authorities.

The catalogues are combed in vain for easy courses, and those which might formerly have given a student a pleasant period of ease have been stiffened until a major effort is required to keep abreast of the class.

English courses use texts containing 1,200 to 1,600 pages, and a great deal of outside reading is demanded. Introductory psychology, formerly a pleasantly restful course, has become a subject needing serious work, and is required in programs leading to degrees in medicine and social work.

This state of affairs makes more work for the teacher as well as for the student, as more emphasis is being placed upon the student's expression of his own ideas and opinions and less upon lectures and note-making.

Higher caliber of students and a larger number of professors with doctor's degrees

# 'These Days'

By George E. Sokolsky

## THE OTHER SIDE

"The Devil and Jimmy Byrnes," published by the magazine "Soviet Russia Today," is by Professor Frederick L. Schuman of Williams College. Professor Schuman is undoubtedly a scholar and what he is discussing in this pamphlet is the evil of American foreign policy, which has, one must admit, been a fumbling business. Schuman describes that policy as follows:

"In mealy-mouthed self-righteousness, (Byrnes) paints a portrait of American diplomacy dedicated consistently to peace, democracy, freedom and rectitude and constantly obstructed in its quest for virtue by Soviet wickedness. Russian 'expansionism' is alarming and clearly sinful, in contrast to American expansionism which is at once noble and non-existent. Russian expansionism, it seems, is old. Karl Marx is quoted against it. Bolshevism expansionism is more dangerous than 'Tsarist expansionism' because it has an 'aggressive ideology.'"

Very sacrilegious that, but not too clear. What Schuman is trying to say is that the United States is the pot calling the kettle black. But he omits to say that the United States has not taken an inch of territory in Europe where Soviet Russia has, by one means or another, stolen Finland, Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia, Poland, Rumania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Albania, Hungary, and is now moving on Italy.

Not one word does he say about the fact that from July 1, 1940, to June 30, 1947, the United States gave Europe and Asia aid amounting to \$73,000,000,000 and that of this amount \$24,000,000,000 has been given since the end of the war. And that we are now legislating to add to that at least \$5,300,000,000, not counting what goes to China, Greece, Turkey, Japan and Germany.

Further, the Professor says:

"Here again, between the lines of Mr. Byrnes' inimitable prose, the Red Monster is reaching out menacingly to gobble up all of God's children, and all good men and true must rally to halt its fiendish onrush and save Christianity, Capitalism and Civilization from annihilation."

True, Mr. Byrnes' prose is unemotional. But is there anything wrong in seeking to save "Christianity, Capitalism and Civilization from annihilation?"

Professor Schuman beats his breast and shrieks:

"The present writer has repeatedly written and said that these views are not only utterly nonsensical but that their propagation is dangerous to the point of criminality."

Then he adds that we are all liars. The American people have been fooled by their newspapers, radio, writers, clergymen, and "virtually all of their public leaders." I suppose by that he means that Stalin never swiped the countries noted above, that he never organized a Fifth Column in all those countries and in the United States, that the Russians never used their veto at UN to prevent a peace, that they never tried to get the Atom Bomb from us to use on us. No! The Professor admits that Stalin was just playing tiddlywinks between vodka. Just a little fun, boys. Why get sore?

Shall I quote him once more?

"Its essence is simply that when Washington's interpretation of an agreement differs from Moscow's interpretation, the former is obviously right and the latter obviously wrong. If America and Britain defend 'democracy' and 'freedom' and 'civilization' and the Soviet Union defends 'peace' and 'justice' and 'justice' in another, the same rule holds. In sober fact when an agreement calls for 'joint assistance' and refers to 'joint responsibilities' to be discharged 'when in the opinion of the three governments, conditions make such action necessary,' all logic and law prescribe that the action in question is to be taken when the three governments are in agreement. If they are not, however, with Mr. Byrnes and the State Department. Under the Truman dispensation such pledges mean that when there is no agreement Moscow must do what Washington and London demand—and if it refuses, it is guilty of a breach of faith."

My friends, was published in the year 1948 by a professor in an American college. I would like to see an American soldier who shot in the back by Russian soldiers because the American refused to walk in the gutter instead of on the sidewalk.

Americans, take it away from this point!

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## That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M. D.

### STARCH FOODS FOR MUSCLE ACTIVITY

While it is not a pleasant thought to realize that most experiments on food and feeding are done by the use of rats, nevertheless it is true that from the food and digestive standpoint the rat most resembles man.

We all know that when the weather gets cold we need, and so eat, more food; that during hot weather we are satisfied with much less food. This is because about three-fourths of the food we eat is used to keep the body processes going and produce heat needed by the body for these processes—circulation of the blood, digestion, breathing and other processes—together with heat necessary to keep us warm. Naturally we need less food to manufacture heat during the warm weather.

An interesting fact is recorded in the "American Journal of Physiology" by Drs. D. Donohoff and J. Vonnosky. These research workers show that just as the temperature of the weather changes, so do these experimental animals make a change in their choice of foods—more in cold weather and less in hot weather. Whereas at a room temperature of about 70 degrees F., mice consumed a food rich in fat; at a temperature of about 58 degrees F., a diet rich in carbohydrate (starch) food.

It naturally would be thought that with a lower temperature, more fat foods would be eaten because fat foods give twice as much heat as starch foods.

Why, then, should these animals choose more starch food during the lower or cooler temperature?

These research workers state that the preference for starch food is due to the fact that starch foods best supply the needs of muscle activity (work or exercise), and both mice and men are more active in their work during the cold weather.

The thought, then, is that while protein foods—meat, eggs, fish—are necessary whether the weather is cold or hot, as they are needed to build up or renew worn tissues of the body, more starch foods are necessary where the individual is muscularly active as during cold weather.

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are factors influencing the stiffening of courses and the increased seriousness of the undergraduate body.

The idea that college years are merely an agreeable interim between school and the serious business of life is a good one to be rid of. Those who wish to enjoy four years of country-club atmosphere must seek it elsewhere, thus leaving the colleges to those who will take advantage of their opportunities.

You Boys Aren't Up to Any Michief, Are You?



## AS PEGLER SEES IT

By WESTBROOK PEGLER

Lewis Gannett, the Book Review Editor and "literary critic" of the New York Herald Tribune, is a loud and influential voice in the expression of the policy of this aged and politically degenerate publication. The Herald Tribune, originally the Tribune, was known for many years as a Republican partisan paper with complications. It was Republican, pro-British and high-Episcopalian and it propagated bridge and squash.

Whatever its formal political faith now, it certainly has compromised its old fundamental river-to-kievism.

As Lewis Gannett is the head man of the literary department devoted to bookish interests, it is not necessary to interpret for you Gannett's political inclinations and objectives. You can roll your own conclusions.

In that invaluable, rare reference work, committee print, appendix, part IX, Communist front organizations, published by the Government Printing Office in 1944, Mr. Gannett is mentioned seventeen times. I am not insinuating that he is un-American or a Communist in reporting this.

That would be the sheer technique used by many of those with whom we find this pundit associated over many years, but it is not my way. However, the congressional committee was called the Special Committee on Un-American Activities and the mention of Communist-front organizations stands on the cover. Those are facts to be interpreted as you will.

First citation, Page 311—Lewis S. Gannett is mentioned, with William Z. Foster, the present chief of the Russian International Communist Party, and with other notorious Communists, as a member of the National Committee of the All-American Anti-Imperialist League. His name, among others, occurred on the letterhead of a communication which greeted the address "Dear Comrade," the salutation employed by the Communists the world over.

Regarding the All-American Anti-Imperialist League, the report to Congress (italics) said it was a Communist organization. Not a Communist front or a pro-Communist or red or pink organization, but a Communist organization.

The committee informed Congress that Francis Biddle, when

he was attorney general, named this league as Communist front and said: "There is no doubt whatever about the correctness of this characterization. The fourth national convention report of the workers' (Communist) party, August 1925, said: Our party was largely instrumental in the establishment of the All-American Anti-Imperialist League."

On Page 319, Lewis Gannett and others, including notorious Communists, are listed as members of another committee. By the way, the Communist movement produces committees, leagues, councils, congresses and "organizations" in bewildering abundance.

As you will observe if you study the previous reports of the Dies, Rankin and Thomas Congressional Committees on Un-American Activities, a few hundred names do duty on many letterheads. One front dissolves into another. This Anti-Imperialist League, for a typical example, dissolved into the League against War and Fascism, which, in turn, faded into the League for Peace and Democracy.

The committee on which Gannett is named as a member on Page 319 is the American Committee for Anti-Nazi Seminars. The Congressional report devotes a page to the genesis and character of this committee, but it will suffice to say that it calls the outfit a Communist front and says its purpose was to supplant Nazism with Communism in Germany.

On Page 337, "Lewis S. Gannett, book review editor, New York Herald Tribune," is listed as a sign of a letter by the American Committee for Democracy and Intellectual Freedom. The report calls this committee a Communist front and says it was "strongly preoccupied with the defense of Communists."

On Page 384, we come to a honey.

Here we find Gannett, of the Herald Tribune's literary department, a fellow empowered to promote his political prejudices and disparage or ignore the writings of those with whom he disagrees, listed as a "director" of the American Fund for Public Service.

Now read closely here:

"The American Fund for Public Service was established by Charles Garland, son of the wealthy James A. Garland," the report says. "Young Garland, con-

ditioned against wealth through radical acquaintances at Harvard, declined to accept his inheritance for his own personal use. Instead he established in 1922 the American Fund for Public Service with \$900,000 which consisted largely of conservative securities. During the twenties, the fund grew to some \$2,000,000. A self-perpetuating board of directors was set up for the purpose of handling out this easy money. Sidney Hillman was among them. Associated with Hillman were Roger N. Baldwin, William Z. Foster, Lewis Gannett."

Right after Foster, "national chairman of the Communist party for many years," we find the book reviewer of the New York Herald Tribune on the board of directors of a fund whose donations reveal "a strong preference" for Communist causes.

"The Daily Worker, official organ of the party, received \$37,000," says this report to Congress. "The New Masses, Communist publication whose ownership was vested in the American Fund for Public Service, got \$64,500. The Vanguard Press was established by the fund with a donation of \$139,000. A series of propaganda books on Russia, edited by Jerome Davis, was one of the first large publishing projects of the Vanguard Press. The Federated Press (described by the report as 'a Communist news service') got \$76,000. The Russian reconstruction farms received \$34,000. The International Labor Defense was the fund's beneficiary in the sum of \$54,000. The International Labor Defense is described as a 'front.'"

On Page 771, Gannett, of the Herald Tribune, is named as one who signed a "golden book of American friendship with the Soviet Union." The Dies committee called this "book" pro-Soviet propaganda enterprise. The inscription above the signature reads, "I hereby inscribe my name in greeting to the people of the Soviet Union on the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the Soviet republic."

The so-called but miscalled Soviet republic was founded through the most horrible massacres in modern history down to that time. Its purpose was to put down the struggling revolutionary republican government of Alexander Kerensky, the leader of the real Russian Revolution against the Czar. Lenin and Trotsky were far from Russia, and from harm when the revolution occurred. They then sneaked in and organized the butchery to annihilate all the decent, intelligent and patriotic Russians who should be unable to escape as refugees.

# Today in Washington

Administration Statements on Steel Prices and Inflation Contain Basic Issues of Business

By DAVID LAWRENCE

Washington, March 15 — The administration poured out over the week-end many thousands of words in three lengthy memoranda on the subject of steel prices and inflation.

Few people will have a chance to read those technical explanations or analyses. Yet in those very statements are contained the basic issues of public or private control of business—operating industry by political policy as contrasted with natural forces under the laws of profit and loss, supply and demand.

Just about a month ago the hullabaloo started over the increase by some steel companies of prices on semi-finished steel products. The politicians saw a good chance to hammer away at big business. Promptly investigations were ordered. Now come the official facts and the official interpretation of those facts.

The official reports by the administration now concede that the steel companies did not make a general increase in steel prices, that the increase affected only certain semi-finished products and that the amount of the increase was a small fraction of total sales.

The administration likewise concedes that there is as yet no evidence of collusion in price-making because steel is what is known as a "price leadership" industry wherein the largest producer fixes his own price and others follow suit as a matter of self-protection in a competitive world.

The administration concedes also that steel during the war being sharply controlled was not able to advance its prices as much as did other businesses. The council of economic advisers reported to the President on this point:

"In broad terms, the published figures collated by the Department of Commerce support the claim of the steel industry that steel prices have been raised less since 1939 than the prices of manufactured products in general and much less than agricultural prices have risen. The price increases in steel have also been less than the increases in steel

wages and the cost of most materials."

As to profits, the government points out that while the steel industry earned more dollars numerically in 1947 than in pre-war years, the rate of return on the investment was not only less than it was sixteen years ago but was one-third less than the rate earned by manufacturing corporations as a whole in 1947. As to ratio of profit to each dollar of sales, the steel industry is earning less than in the 1920's and half what the ratio was in 1929.

Likewise the government points out that the present rate of return on investment is based on book value which is much less than it would be on the cost of reproduction of plant facilities today.

But even though the steel industry is described in the official reports as having pursued a policy of "moderation in price-making," even though its "rate of profit on invested capital and the rate of profit on sales are not exceptional," the President's Economic Council still says it wasn't economically sound to make the recent price increase. The council says:

"The issue is not whether the steel industry is guilty of profiteering. It is whether, in the interest of the health of individual companies and the economy as a whole, it was necessary in this way to add to the inflationary pressures of the economy at this time."

In other words, businesses must disregard the financial facts of life, the necessity for earning enough money to secure capital for expansion and to preserve a market for its securities and must look at its broad political repercussions.

That's not a novel approach for radicals to express but it would gain far more adherents as a matter of public policy if the same administration, the same Department of Commerce and the same Council of Economic Advisers would now analyze in some more thousands of words the demand of the Electrical Workers' Union for a third round of wage increases. This demand is being made despite the fact that General Electric recently reduced its price for the role of public benefactor in the inflationary controversy just as the administration wanted it to do. (Reproduction Rights Reserved)

## Leaves From Boyle's Notebook

By HAL BOYLE

Ft. Bragg, N. C., March 15 (AP) — A hundred and fifty combat veterans of the eighty-second airborne division stood waiting as the slender man with two stars on his shoulder stepped to the microphone.

They were survivors of "The Devils in Buggy Pants" who made four combat parachute jumps in Europe and helped turn back the German tide in the Battle of the Bulge.

They were gathered to hear the farewell address of their leader, Maj. Gen. "Slim Jim" Gavin, who has been promoted to chief of staff of the Fifth Army in Chicago. "I'm not here to say 'goodbye,' because I'll really never leave the division," said General Jim. "I'll always be here in spirit."

And for about five minutes he told them in simple soldierly language what it had meant to him to be their leader. He said that their division "will never die," and that what they had done in its name gave them an immortality to boot.

When he finished, there wasn't a man in the room who wouldn't willingly have followed him off to another war.

The farewell marked another climax in one of the most brilliant military careers of the modern American army.

It meant a step up for "Slim Jim," but it left 17,000 division troops saddened at the loss of a commander they had loved for his youth, his friendliness—and his fighting ability.

I have met a number of generals who were liked personally by their men—and a number who weren't. But I never saw one who took their hearts more than "Slim Jim," who in 1944 became the youngest ground force general at the age of 37.

Gavin leaped first in combat. And, rifle slung over his arm, he roved always to the point where the war was most needed. His neat quick grin and cheerful confidence made him men bolder than his nature.

At 41 he is now the army's

## 200 More Troopers Will Be Appointed

Albany, N. Y., March 15 (AP) —

Two hundred state police appointments will be made immediately after civil service examinations slated for April 15.

The Division of State Police said yesterday the examinations would be given at Albany, White Plains and such other places as may be designated later.

The announcement said applications presented in person at the division's Albany office would be accepted until midnight, March 31. Mail-in applications must be postmarked not later than midnight, March 30.

## Twenty and Ten Years Ago

March 14, 1928—George W. Potter resigned as superintendent of Kingston-Rhinebeck Ferry Company to engage in business.

American Legion Boy Scout Troop enjoyed a father and son banquet at the Legion Memorial building.

The Rev. Frederick E. Foerster, a former resident of Hurley, died in Tarrytown.

Mrs. Alfred Eckert of Union Center died.

March 15, 1928—Planned to send the Chandler basketville five representatives of the local Y.M.C.A., who recently won the championship of the Northeastern District at Cohoes, to Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Hudson river was practically clear of ice.

Superintendent Grant D. Morse of Saugerties schools, re-engaged by the village education board.

March 14, 1938—Y.W.C.A. budget campaign opened with a dinner meeting. Speakers were Mayor C. J. Heiselman and Harry M. Fleming.

Mrs. Mathilda Spamer Geschwinder died.

Supreme Court Justice Francis Bergan was guest speaker at Men's Club at Temple Emanuel.

German occupation of Austria was underway. Adolf Hitler came in triumph to Vienna and to a frenzied throng that greeted him declared, "no force on earth can shake us."

March 15, 1938—Spinnny's garage in Port Ewen destroyed by fire, with damage estimated at \$2,000. All the buses of the Port Ewen bus line which used the garage, were saved.

Kingston Post of American Legion held 19th birthday party at Spinnny's restaurant in Port Ewen, which had been saved from fire which destroyed adjacent garage by alert Port Ewen and Kingston firemen.

Arthur E. Shultis of Bearsville died.

## Believe It or Not! by Daley



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### Mary Louise Oxholm Named Durant Scholar For Highest Academic Achievement at Wellesley



MARY LOUISE OXHOLM

#### Lowell Club Meeting Held

Lowell Club met last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. John B. Steketee, 198 Washington avenue. Two study papers were given.

Miss Flora Davidson spoke of the work of the F.B.I. describing the methods used in tracing them, and amounts offered as rewards. She also noted the work of the F.B.I. in protecting the President of the United States and his family. She also reported the early history of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and gave a brief biographical sketch of J. Edgar Hoover.

The paper, "Rivers," prepared by Mrs. Mary Childester was read by Mrs. Steketee. She discussed the Wabash and Allegheny rivers. She noted that the Wabash was discovered in 1667 by LaSalle and by 1717 was important as a fur trading center. She said that the shape and size of the United States was determined during the Revolution on the banks of the Wabash and at the defeat of Tecumseh by William Henry Harrison, the southern boundary of Canada was established. She spoke of the Hoosier writers such as Booth Tarkington and Elmer Davis and Theodore Dreiser who wrote "On the Banks of the Wabash." The river flows through Indiana where she said the first women's club was founded and also the first co-educational institution.

The Allegheny opened the west to American development. She reported that it was not navigable because of the many rapids and the ice flows in the spring. Oil was discovered along this river.

Next week the club will meet with Mrs. C. Franklin Pierce, 27 Janet street.

### St. Mary's Holy Name Society

St. Mary's Holy Name Society will hold its annual St. Patrick's entertainment and dance Wednesday evening at St. Mary's Hall. The entertainment which will be given by the children of St. Mary's School will begin at 8 o'clock. Dancing will follow and refreshments will be served. The committee has prepared and suitably decorated the hall for the occasion.

The program for the entertainment will be: The Bells of St. Mary's, the Girls' Choir; Danny Boy, Francis Weiss; Kerry Dance, Brownie Troop No. 63; I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen, Barbara Bruck.

Wearing of the Green (dance), Patty and Terry O'Reilly; The Hat My Father Wore, Senior boys and girls; The Low Back'd Car, Fifth Grade.

McNamara's Band, Francis Horvath and his band; To Donagel, Senior boys and girls; Peggy O'Neill, Winifred Entwistle; The Wedding of Jack and Jill, Primary Grades.

#### Club Notices

**First Dutch Choir Mothers**  
There will be no meeting of the First Dutch Choir Mothers this month. The next meeting will be April 21. Plans are well under way for the annual card party scheduled for April 6 in the church house. Mrs. Edwin Lacey is chairman.

**Junior Married Women**  
Junior Married Women's Club will meet Thursday at 8 o'clock in the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. Susanne Hyde, who recently returned from six months with the Save the Children Foundation in France and Belgium will discuss the conditions of the children and schooling which she found. Members are asked to bring articles for the rummage sale which will be held April 9 and 10.

**Trinity Lutheran Guild**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Trinity Women's Guild will be held Tuesday evening in the church assembly hall. There will be a short business meeting starting promptly at 8 o'clock. Miss Elma Kullmann will be the guest speaker. Hostesses for the meeting will be Miss Muriel Krauser, Mrs. Frank Gollnick, Mrs. Fred Sarbacher and Mrs. Donald Boss. Table decorations will be in accordance with St. Patrick's Day. All members are urged to attend.

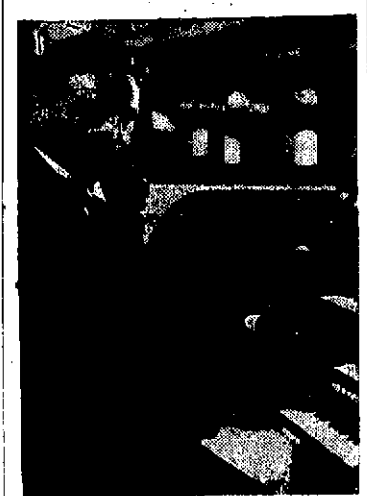
**Home Bureau at Night**  
Meeting of women of Kingston who cannot attend daytime meetings of Home Bureau at the home of Mrs. Matthew Cully, 161 Bruyn avenue, Tuesday, at 8 p. m. Mrs. Clifford DuMont will lead the meeting and will help the women get the organization started. All women invited. Miss Everlee Parsons also will be present.

**Oratorio Society**  
The Oratorio Society will hold its regular rehearsal at Fair Street Reformed Church parlors tonight at 8 o'clock. The rehearsal March 22 will be omitted because of Holy Week.

**Friendship Circle**  
A meeting of the World Friendship Study Circle of First Presbyterian Church will be held Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Stang, 143 Harding avenue. New Members will be welcome.

**Colds**  
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### Organ Recitalist At Methodist Church



DR. TIDMARSH

When Dr. Elmer A. Tidmarsh plays the dedication recital on the new organ at Clinton Avenue Methodist Church Tuesday night, 8 o'clock, he will include Dupre's "Stations of the Cross; Jesus Is Condemned to Death; Jesus Comforts the Women of Jerusalem; and Jesus Is Nailed to the Cross." Dr. Tidmarsh studied this recital with the composer in Fontainebleau. The great work was performed for the first time by Marcel Dupre on the Trocadero organ in Paris in 1932.

He will play also four compositions by J. S. Bach: We Thank Thee, Trio from "E Flat Sonata," Air from "Suite in D," and Toccata and Fugue in D Minor.

Also on the program will be Minuet by Boccherini; Carillon, Sibelius; Prelude to "The Blessed Damozel," Debussy; Liebestraum, Liszt; Softly Now the Light of Day, Chopin; and Toccata from "Fifth Symphony," Widor.

The recital is open to the public. There will be no admission or collection.

The new organ was recently completed by Ernest M. Skinner Company. Mr. Skinner arrived today for a final check over.

Arrangements for the new organ were made by the committee of Vernon S. Miller, chairman; Thomas W. Miller, treasurer; the Rev. William R. Peckham, pastor; Clarence E. Cole, Frank S. Hyatt, Willys N. Ryder and W. W. Fredenburgh, advisor.

Formal dedication of the organ and chancel furniture will take place Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

### Wellesley Group's Meeting in City

Miss Harriet Creighton, chairman of the Department of Botany at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., will be guest speaker for the spring meeting of the Mid-Hudson Wellesley Club which is set for 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 20, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd LeFevre, Richmond Park, Kingston.

Her topic will be "Food Enough for All," covering the subject of the United States carrying on world feeding. Mrs. Reuben Henri Bowden of Cold Spring is president of the club.

Mrs. Homer O'Dell of Newburgh has had charge of arrangements for the meeting. Miss Creighton is speaking in place of Mrs. Constance Creighton, died last month at the college, who is unable to attend the meeting.

During the business session, there will be a report on the progress of the college's 75th anniversary fund drive for \$7,500, of which Mrs. William V. Smith, 2nd, of Poughkeepsie, is Mid-Hudson chairman. She is assisted by county aides in the Mid-Hudson area. There will also be a report on the Alumnae Council held last month at the college.

Tea will be served at the conclusion of the business session and program.

### St. James W.S.C.S. Lists Annual Lenten Tea for Wednesday

W.S.C.S. of St. James Methodist Church will hold its annual Lenten Tea Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors. The guest speaker will be Capt. Andrew S. Ticey, U.S.N., retired, who will talk about "Religious Festivals Abroad." Special music will be sung by a Women's Chorus; an incidental solo by Miss Delores Reina; and piano selections by Miss Joan Day.

All women of the church and friends are invited. The committee arranging for the afternoon includes the Meses, Julius Gifford, C. Franklin Pierce, Charles Davis and Raymond Snyder.

### Rehearsals Held By Footlighters On First Production

Rehearsals are well under way for "The Footlighters' production of "Out of the Frying Pan," April 5 at Kingston High School. Under the direction of Warren Buormeister, the cast is diligently working to present this comedy to Kingston audiences. The play deals with the trials and tribulations of a group of young actors trying to "crash the stage."

Tickets are now on sale and may be obtained from any member of the Ulster County Cancer Program, or "The Footlighters." Local stores, where tickets may be bought, will be announced.

**Cafeteria Supper**  
The Ladies' Aid Society of Reformed Church of the Comforter will serve a cafeteria supper Tuesday beginning at 5:30 o'clock.

**Meat Loaf Supper**  
Ladies of the Flatbush Reformed Church will serve a meat loaf supper at the church hall Wednesday, with servings to commence at 6 p. m. A free-will offering will be taken.

### Cast of 100 Will Appear in Original Passion Play At First Dutch Church, Tuesday, Wednesday

A cast of 100 persons will appear in "The Life of Christ" passion play written and directed by Mrs. Arthur Oudemool to be presented at the First Dutch Reformed Church, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, March 16 and 17. The play will start at 8 p. m. each night. Members of the cast are:

Richard Taille, Kenneth Kulk, Ellis Griffith, Harry Rigby, George Shively, Harry Frey, William Wilkins, Charles Goble, George Edwards, Charles Goble, Donald Burgher, Clifford Miller, Charles Horne, Hugo Schiatter, Howard R. St. John, Charles Lahl, James Hungerford, William MacElveen, Jansen Fowler, LeRoy Lenker, Alwin Feuerstein, Jack Wood, DeWitt Wells, Douw Meyers, Jr., John Trowliger, Donald Donohue, Fred Van Deusen, Frank Ostrander, George Kernochan, Fred Supplies, Arthur Fronczel, Ray White, Gerald Freer, Clarence Chapman, Walter Danford, Ira Myers and Ronald Buchanan.

Also Russell Edwards, Sr., Herbert Fister, Edward DeGraf, Jr., Charles Goble, Jr., Charles Rinschler, Charles Goble, Sr., Henry Millonig, Sr., Richard Feuerstein, Alwin Feuerstein, Floyd Elting, Clarence Beeher, Charles Bell, Joseph Hughes, Richard Taille, Jr., Minford Overfield, Carl Schneider, William Ewing, Joseph Flowers, Harry Ten Haguy, George Wagenseller, Helen Kulk, Mary Joe Haulenbeck, Carolyn Taille, Jane LeFevre, Ruth Friedell, Mrs. Donald Burgher, Mrs. Edward DeWitt, Edna Davis, Mrs. Harry Ten Haguy, Mrs. DeWitt Wells, June Markle, Marjory Merritt, Mrs. Arthur J. Laidlaw, Helen Cline, Juanita Dunham, Mrs. Harry Baraka, Mrs. Richard Morse, Eleanor Easton, Rignall.

Background scenes based upon famous religious paintings have been done in pastels by Wesley Hogan, Mrs. Helen Terwilliger and Miss Elizabeth Stocking.

Boy Scouts of Troop 12 assisted in setting together the properties for the production and Girl Scouts of Troop 13 assisted in publicity. Music will be under the direction of Mrs. Raymond Rignall, and Miss Caroline Little, assistant organist, will accompany the senior choir of the church on several numbers. Incidental music to the play will include: The Lord's Prayer, Malotte, Donald Laidlaw, soloist; Bow Down Thine Ear, Maundor; On the Way to Jerusalem, Maundor; Thy Name Taken Away, Mr. Lord, Harrington; The Lord Bless Thee and Keep Thee, Lutkin.

### Stravinsky Honors Robert L. Craft

Robert L. Craft, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Craft, Johnston avenue, was mentioned in Sunday's "New York Times" article "The World of Music: Stravinsky," as being an enthusiast of Stravinsky and chosen by the famous composer to conduct an all-Stravinsky program with the Chamber Art Society of which Mr. Craft is director.

A quotation from the article reads: "Usually when Mr. Stravinsky conducts in New York it is with the New York Philharmonic, but he has been so taken with the young man's enthusiasm that he has decided to help out Mr. Craft's new group. He has agreed not only to attend the concert but to donate his services as conductor for his 'Dances Concertantes' and the premier of his revised Symphony for Wind Instruments."

The concert will be given April 11 in Town Hall. Mr. Craft recently contributed a letter to promote interest in instrumental music in the local schools in connection with the series of articles: Music in Kingston Schools. While in grade school at School No. 7, he participated in the Kingston High School band as cornetist. He won a band scholarship to New York Military Academy and is a graduate of Juilliard School of Music.

#### Card Parties

**St. Ursula Academy**  
A dessert card party and food sale will be held in the auditorium at the Academy of St. Ursula Wednesday at 2 p. m. Players are asked to bring their own card. The party is under the auspices of the Mothers' Association.

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**Office Cat**  
By Junius

All Work, No Play

A certain lazy individual in Holyoke, Massachusetts, was driven by hunger to seek a job. He wandered over to Worcester, where he found a group of men digging for the foundation of a new building.

"Can I work here?" he asked the foreman.

"Sure," was the reply, "help yourself to a shovel."

At the close of the day's work one of the men said to the new comer, "I don't seem to recognize you, where do you live?"

"I live in Holyoke," replied the tired, entirely spent gentleman.

"Very commendable, very commendable," rejoined the other. "What do you mean?"

"Why you, a Holyoke man coming over to help us," was the reply. "All of us are Worcester men giving a day's work free to help build the new Presbyterian church."

In the dark of the night two men were seen to be talking. One approached the safe and took down the dial of the safe with his toes.

"Pat," said the matter, "let's open this thing and get out of here."

"Other," said the matter, "let's open this thing and get out of here."

There are times when business is rotten because it's rotten business.

A woman wrote of her husband, "He's the sort of man who always hits the nail right on the thumb."

An ambitious little group of amateur performers were bravely contending with the manifold problems of mounting a tableau bearing the ambitious title of "Noah's Ark."

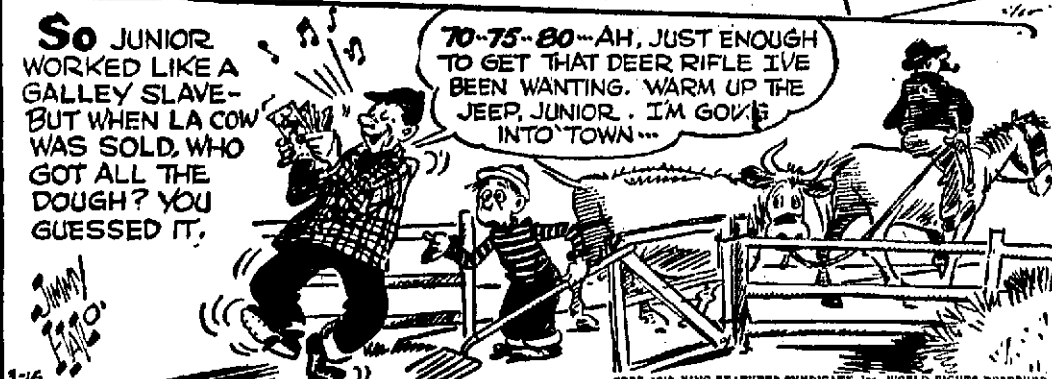
Anxious Participant: "Now, shall we illuminate the ark?"

Member: "Oh, that's easy, with flood lights, of course."

A gentleman slipped on the top of the stair to the subway and started sliding down to the bottom. Half way down he collided with a lady, knocked her off her feet, and the two continued their journey together. After they had reached the bottom, the lady still dazed, continued to sit on the

## THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME

(Registered U. S. Patent Office) By Jimmy Hatlo



gentleman's chest. Looking up at her politely, he finally exclaimed, "Madam, I'm sorry, but this is as far as I go."

Full House

We're so crowded here in our house since the housing shortage struck.

If anyone comes to visit us, he has to take "cot-luck."

Walking around the barracks, the colonel noticed a long queue of men waiting outside the stables. Each held a lump of sugar.

Colonel: "I'm glad you love animals so much."

"I suppose the horse you're giving the sugar is the pet of the regiment?"

Recruit: "Not 'arf sir. He's the one what kicked the sergeant."

What Are You Making

Isn't it strange that Princes and Kings

And clowns that caper in sawdust rings

And common folks like you and me

Help to make up Eternity?

To each is given a bag of tools.

A shapeless mass and a book of rules.

And such must take, ere life is flown.

A stumbling block, or a stepping stone.

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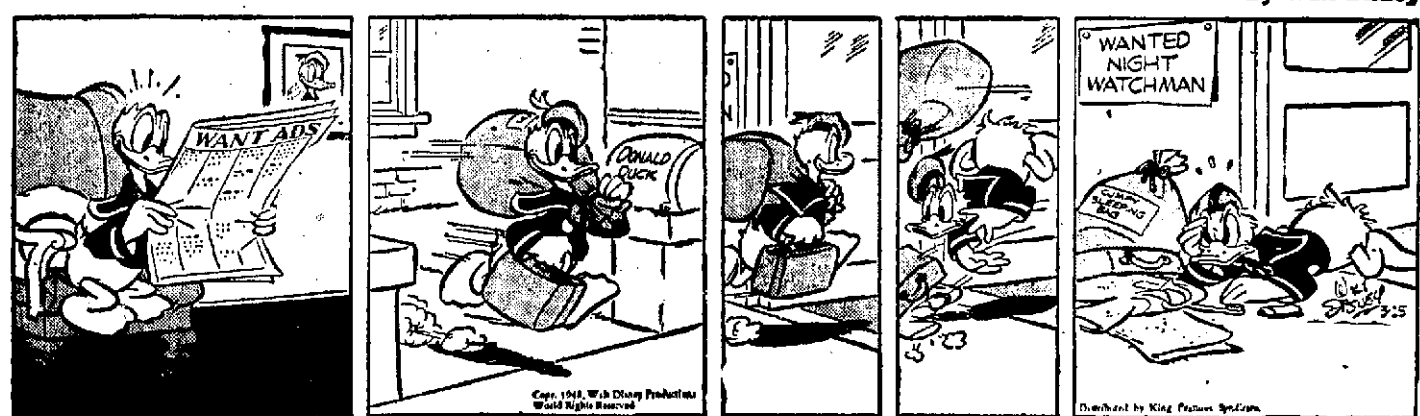
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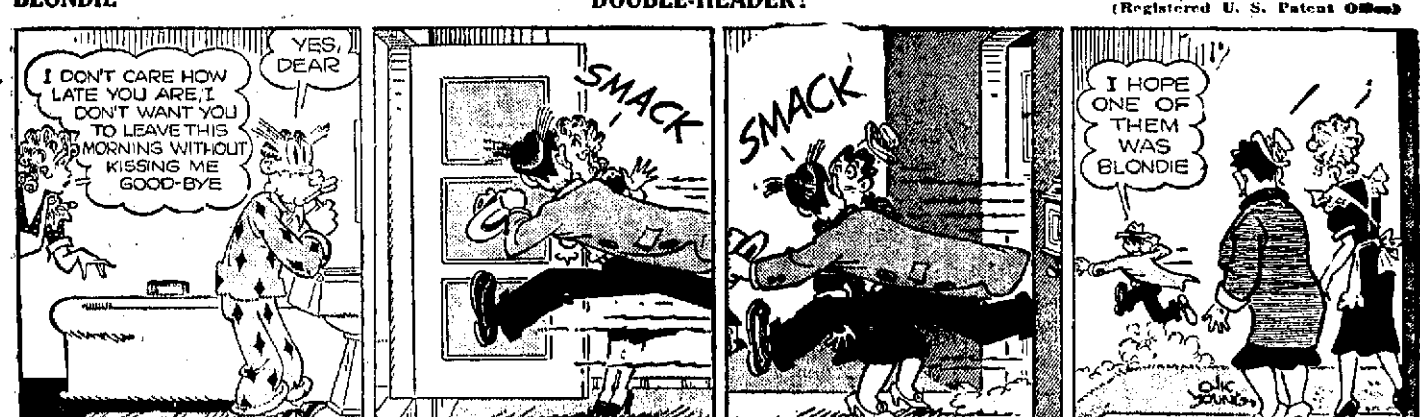
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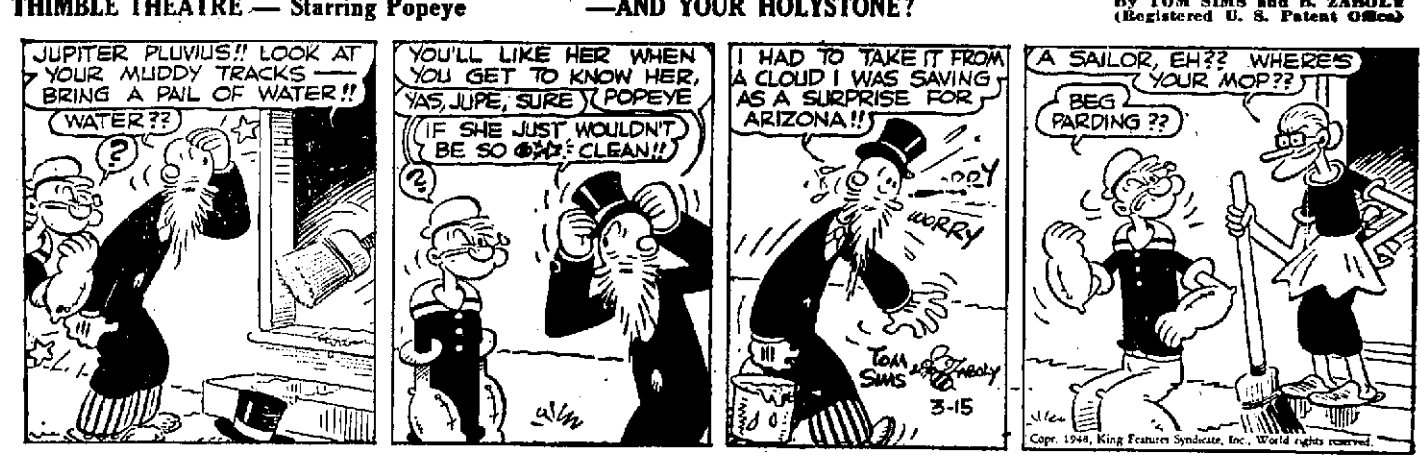
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THIMBLE THEATRE—Starring Popeye

—AND YOUR HOLYSTONE?

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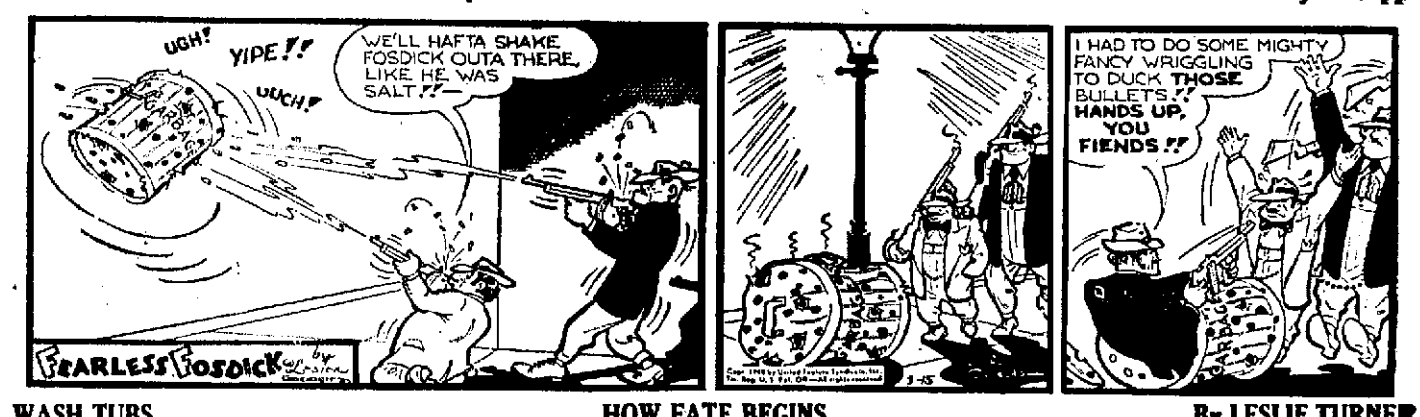
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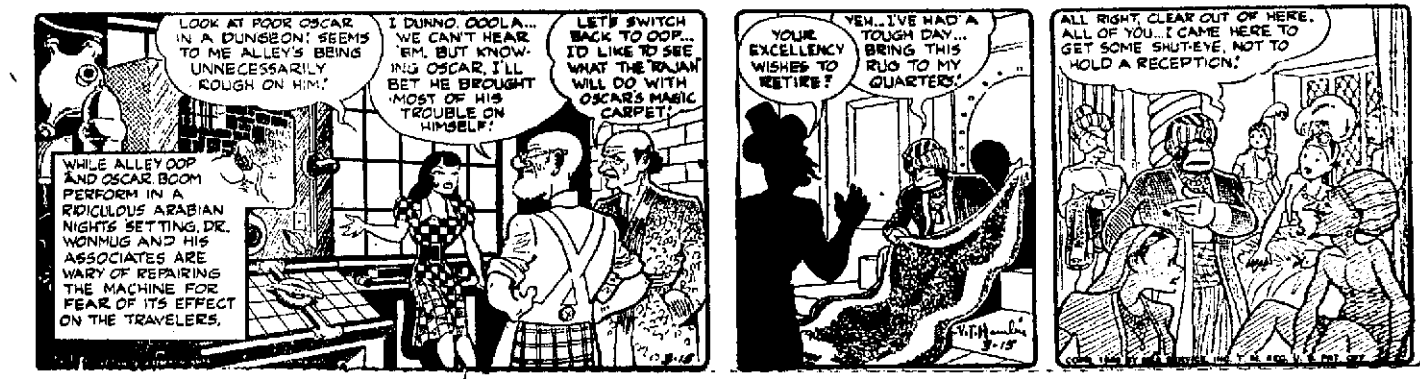
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ALLEY OOP

ON YOUR WAY

By V. T. HAMLIN



## CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



"So what if I did fasten my sweater crooked with an extra button at the bottom? It might come in handy in case I want to carry something with a buttonhole in it!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

## SIDE GLANCES

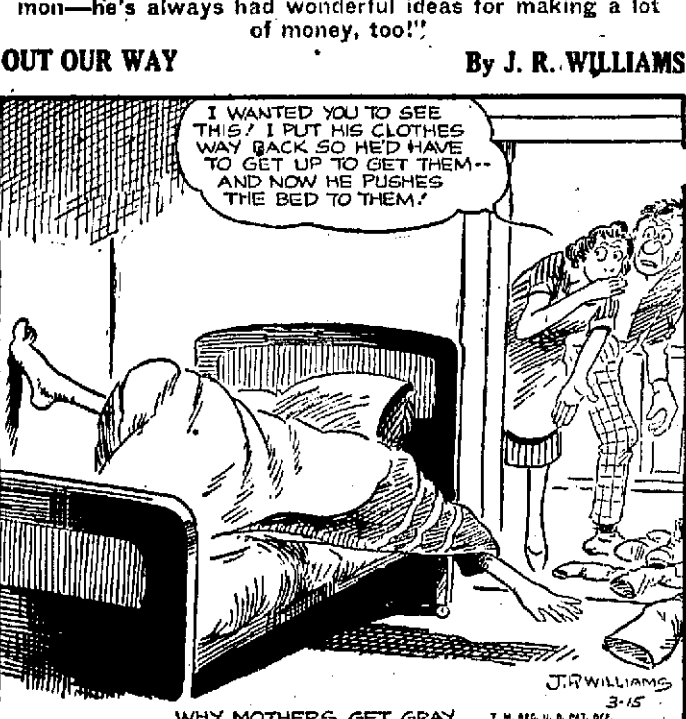
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"Meet my father, George! You and he have a lot in common—he's always had wonderful ideas for making a lot of money, too!"

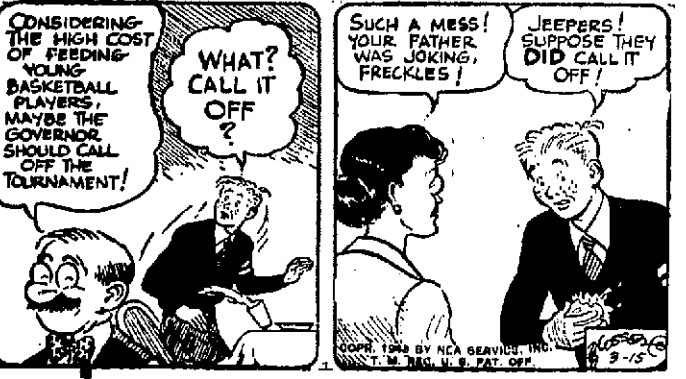
OUT OUR WAY

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WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

By MERRILL BLOSSER









# Sicklers-Chez Emile Clash Decides City Cage Crown Tonight

## Battle On Y Court Decides Regular Title

Sickler's Delivery and Chez Emile clash for the Y Basketball League title at the municipal auditorium tonight at 7:45 o'clock.

Both teams have identical records of 16 wins and two defeats.

The preliminary between Kerhonsen Otto Clippers and Fuller Sports will determine the third and fourth positions for the Shaughnessy playoffs.

Sickler's, idle since their appearance in the Hudson tournament last Saturday, have engaged in several drills on the Y court, while Chez Emile came through three games in impressive fashion during the week.

### Second Title Clash

These two teams met on December 2 for the Y Autumn League title and Sickler's copped a sparkling 45-35 victory in overtime.

Fuller and Otto Clippers, the preliminary squads tonight, have 13 and 4 records. The Clippers will be without the services of Bob Terwilliger, 6 foot 6 inch center, who was injured recently. Cliff Schoonmaker, another Clipper regular, is expected to play with his left hand in a bandage as the result of a recent accident.

The tentative lineups:

Sickler's: Murphy, Thomas, Malnes, Sasa, McGrane  
 Chez Emile: McElrath, Albany, Lindhorst, Crosby, Ross

### Cheerios Upset Jayvees, 54-46

Cheerios handed the K.H.S. Jayvees one of their rare defeats Saturday, outscoring the future Macon greats, 54-46 on the Y court. The winners led 26-23 at half-time.

Peck and Ebelheiser, the Cheerio sharpshooters, shared scoring honors with 12 points each. Individual honors for the game went to Scheffel and Riehl of the Jayvees with 15 each.

The lineups:

Cheerios (54)  
 Ebelheiser, f. . . . . 12  
 Peck, f. . . . . 12  
 Berardi, c. . . . . 8  
 C. Ranzo, g. . . . . 6  
 Blume, g. . . . . 4  
 Streeter, g. . . . . 2  
 Klein, g. . . . . 1  
 26 2 54

Kingston H. S. Jayvees (46)  
 Holstein, f. . . . . 3  
 Leonard, f. . . . . 3  
 Shultz, f. . . . . 3  
 B. Scheffel, c. . . . . 15  
 Roach, g. . . . . 7  
 Hansen, g. . . . . 0  
 Riehl, g. . . . . 3  
 20 6 46

Score at end of first half, 26-23.

Cheerios. Referee, "Finky" McElrath and Don. Ross. Time of halves, 16 minutes.

### Hockey at a Glance

(By The Associated Press)

**SUNDAY'S RESULTS**

**National League**

Toronto 3, Chicago 0.

Boston 5, Detroit 1.

Montreal 6, New York 3.

**American League**

Cleveland 3, Buffalo 3, (tie).

Pittsburgh 2, New Haven 1.

Providence 3, St. Louis 1.

Indianapolis 3, Washington 2.

**SATURDAY'S RESULTS**

**National League**

Montreal 3, New York 2.

Toronto 5, Boston 2.

**American League**

Cleveland 3, Buffalo 1.

Hershey 5, Pittsburgh 1.

Philadelphia 4, Indianapolis 1.

St. Louis 4, Springfield 2.

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## In The Pocket

with CHARLIE TIANO

### All This for Three Cents:

Mr. Irate Fan, that fabled character of journalism, who shouts from the roof tops for an ideal and then conveniently forgets to sign his name at the bottom of his deathless prose, hit the sports desk on Tuesday, February 9. For obvious reasons we refrained from commenting on the epistle which builds up a strong case for the 1943-44 Kingston High School basketball squad. Furthermore we noted it was the 86th anniversary of the Battle of the Monitor and Merrimac and perished the thought that we would lose up such a hallowed occasion with mere basketball prattle.

By now the unidentified character who shall hereafter be referred to as "Mr. Irate Alumnus of 1944" must feel that his classic phraseology would be lost to the waiting public. This kind of argument is not unique these days. But few people can express their sentiments in the choice verbiage of "Mr. IA of 1944." After all, it's his opinion and he is certainly entitled to it. But in all sincerity if this unidentified author, who might possibly be the new Walking Man, feels so strongly as he does about the relative merits of the 1943-44 and 1947-1948, it is shameful indeed that he lacked the courage to sign his name. Think of the thousands of 1943-44 alumni and fans who would be eternally indebted to him.

### He Leads With His Right:

Obnoxious of the cardinal principles of boxing, "Mr. IA of 1944" leads with his right. The chummy rejoinder: "Tiano, why don't you stop talking through your hat," is calculated to set the basis for negotiations and lay the foundation for a life long friendship. Nothing like being frank and friendly about a controversial issue.

"Mr. IA of 1944" continues: "With all due credit to this season's high school basketball squad, they are not the best ever in K.H.S." A plausible statement indeed.

The best team was the 1943-44 aggregation led by Zeke Zelle, Rod Sagerdorf, Les Morton, Joe Shattan and "Pappy" Sickler. They played skillful basketball, not this fast-break system. They played deliberate, scientific basketball. Their ball-handling and finesse far overweighs this year's team. True this season's team scored more but they also had more points scored against them."

"Mr. IA of 1944" proceeds with the records "I have compiled." The 43-44 squad won 16 and lost 0, scored 800 points and yielded 432, for an average of 50 to 27 per game. The 1947-48 cagers (in the regular season) won 18 and lost 0, scored 1081 points to 625 for the opposition, average 58.17 to 34.15.

### Mr. Kias Has Changed?

"Mr. IA of 1944" claims that the Big Five in 1943-44 only once played more than half a game and then they played but three quarters. "The starting five," he says, "took their showers at half time every game. Local fans only saw the starting five half a game each appearance." We won't argue the point except to say that Coach Kias certainly has changed his tactics in the last four years. "Mr. IA of 1944" facetiously inquires: "Tell me, Mr. Tiano, did you honestly ever see them play? I never missed a game and I don't remember seeing you. Now say something sarcastic." Frankly, "Mr. IA of 1944," we didn't see the 43-44 team in action at all. Early in 1943 a gentleman from across the river sent neighborly greetings and arranged an interview which made a physical impossibility to be in Labrador and the municipal auditorium at the same time. We didn't object too strenuously, mind you, but we would have liked being at the municipal auditorium watching Zeke, Sagerdorf and company. It was probably much warmer there.

### Now You Have Been Told:

"Mr. IA of 1944" reserves some of his high powered ammunition for the end: "In the 43-44 season and in seasons before, if a guard shot more than once or twice he was immediately taken out. Now it's everybody scoring. How the devil can you compare these teams. Why, competition isn't even near as good now as it was in 43-44." (Wanna bet?) "Why," Zeke Sagerdorf are the two best all-around basketball players K.H.S. has ever seen. If it wasn't for the war they would have played longer. Wake up, Tiano, how can such a team as the 43-44 squad be so quickly forgotten?" . . . Also: "Talk to Mr. Kias and if he is honest about the matter, he will verify what I have said in the above. . . . Signed: An Irate K.H.S. alumnus."

MULLIGAN MIKE SAYS: Thanks "Mr. IA of 1944 for an honest opinion, but if you really believe in something don't be afraid to admit it—even in public.

## Violets Retain Favorites Role In N. Y. Tourney

New York, March 15 (AP)—Basketball tournament activity reaches its peak during the next six days. By Saturday night the U. S. Olympic tryout field will be completed.

About 50 games will be played on such scattered fronts as New York, Kansas City, Brooklyn, Denver and Berkeley, Calif.

The University of Louisville won the gruelling 32-team NAIB tournament in Kansas City Saturday night to become the first quintet to qualify for the Olympic tryouts in New York, March 27, 29 and 31.

The winner of the National Invitation Tournament in New York Wednesday night will become the second team. And then on Saturday night the final six clubs will be determined. Three will come from the National A.A.U. tournament in Denver, and one each from the western N.C.A.A. playoffs in Kansas City, the Eastern N.C.A.A. playoffs in New York, and the National Y.M.C.A. tournament in Brooklyn.

N.Y.U. Favored  
 Tonight the New York Invitational presents its semifinal offerings. New York University meets DePaul in the first game at 8 o'clock and St. Louis University takes on Western Kentucky in the nightcap.

N.Y.U. squeaked by Texas, 45-

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Kaye Sportswair will discontinue their little boys' clothing department. . . . Effective as today, all boys' suits, including all new Easter arrivals, in sizes from 7 to 10, will be reduced from 25% to 35% from the regular selling price. . . . Kaye Sportswair will continue to feature their Boys' clothing from sizes 12 to 16. . . . Prep suits from 33 to 38. . . .

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## 'Phillies' Double-Play,



This is the double-play combination Phillies' manager Ben Chapman says is the best in the National League. Shortstop Eddie Miller, traded from Cincinnati, gets high in the air to throw to first base after receiving a toss from second baseman Emil Verban at the Phillies' camp, Clearwater, Fla.

## The Grapefruit Circuit

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 15 (AP)—The New York Yankees have the baseball experts second guessing themselves today.

Before the start of spring training the experts figured the Boston Red Sox as shoo-ins to capture the American League pennant due to the acquisition of some grade A talent from the St. Louis Browns.

However, the Yanks are burning up the Grapefruit League while the Sox are stumbling along. The Yankee pitching is especially hot. Yesterday the Yanks met the favored Red Sox for the first time and took them into camp, 5-2, in ten innings with Joe DiMaggio's 350-foot three run homer breaking up the game.

It was the first time that Joe McCarthy, former Yankee boss and now Red Sox mentor, master-minded against his old club. For nine innings the teams were locked in a scoreless tie. The Sox pushed two runs across in the top of the tenth with the aid of two errors.

With two down and two on in the bottom of the tenth, Tommy Henrich tied the count with a triple. Rookie Hampton Coleman then walked Johnny Lindell and DiMaggio followed with a clout into Tampa Bay to sew it up.

Counting the Yankee "B" squad's triumph over the Boston Braves, the Yanks have won seven games without a loss, limiting the opposition to 12 runs while scoring 32.

Los Angeles, March 15 (AP)—Vern Olsen, Chicago Cub discard, is expected to start for the New York Giants today against his former mates with rookies Hub Andrews and Bill Ayers sharing the pitching duties.

Olsen has been working out with the Giants at their Phoenix, Ariz. base along with Thornton Lee, 41-year-old ex-Chicago White Sox lefthander who also is being given a chance for a mound berth with the New Yorkers.

Chicago, March 15 (AP)—Rookie outfielder Dick Whitman's hustle has impressed Brooklyn Dodger President Branch Rickey.

In addition to his hustle, Whitman is whacking the ball in fine style and appears to have an excellent chance to take over the right field berth vacated when Dixie Walker was traded to the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Simmons Shines  
 Clearwater, Fla., March 15 (AP) Curt Simmons, the Philadelphia

### Exhibition Baseball

Sunday's Results

New York (A) 5, Boston (A) 2 (10 innings).

New York (A) "B" 7, Boston (N) 1.

Brooklyn (N) 7, Montreal (IL) 1.

New York (N) 5, Chicago (A) 1.

Philadelphia (N) 9, Detroit (A) 1.

San Francisco (PCL) 6, Cleveland (A) 5 (afternoon).

Oakland (PCL) vs. Cleveland (A) (morning) postponed, rain.

Cincinnati (N) 3, St. Louis (N) 2.

Pittsburgh (N) vs. Hollywood (PCL) postponed, rain.

Chicago (N) vs. St. Louis (A) postponed, rain.

Philadelphia (A) 5, Washington (A) 2.

## VFW Rips Wiltwycks

The Veterans of Foreign Wars, early season doormats of the Y Basketball League, closed out their 1947-48 campaign Saturday morning with a thumping 64-35 triumph over Wiltwyck Motors on the Y gym court.

The victory was the sixth straight for the Vets who suddenly caught fire and played outstanding ball in the last three weeks.

Ahead 30-28 in a close first half, the Vets broke out on top quickly after the recess and won going away. Four players hit double figures, Van Wigenen leading with 16. George Hilt, 14, Ruzzo 13 and Brannen 10.

Jack McGrane paced the losefs with 16 markers. Madden had 12, Hunt 11 and Freer 10.

The Y correspondents reported that the Wiltwycks complained bitterly about the "poor" officiating.

The lineups:

V.F.W. (64)  
 Ruzzo, f. . . . . 6  
 Brannen, f. . . . . 5  
 Goercke, f. . . . . 7  
 Van Wigenen, c. . . . . 7  
 Miller, g. . . . . 3  
 Hughes, g. . . . . 2

Totals . . . . . 30 4 64

Wiltwyck Motors (55)  
 Dougherty, f. . . . . 1  
 Froer, f. . . . . 1  
 Brinnier, c. . . . . 2  
 Hunt, g. . . . . 5  
 McGrane, g. . . . . 8  
 Madden, g. . . . . 6

Totals . . . . . 27 1 55

Score at end of first half: V.F.W. 30, Wiltwycks 28.

K.A.A. Meeting

The officers and Board of Directors of the Kingston Athletic Association meets tonight at the club headquarters at 7:30 o'clock. All eligible members are requested to attend.

### No Baseball Meeting

The City Baseball League meeting scheduled for tonight has been postponed until further notice, Warren Smith, league president, announced this morning.

## Zeke Zelle's 304 Points New All-Time Record at Hartwick

Oneonta, N. Y., March 15—Captain George "Zeke" Zelle, brilliant freshman guard from Kingston, set a new scoring record as Hartwick College's Iroquois Warriors completed one of their finest basketball seasons with 14 victories against eight defeats. Zelle, re-elected as captain of the 1948-49 team, scored 304 points during the 22 games.

Harold L. Bradley, former Norwich High school mentor, gained excellent results in his first year as coach of the Iroquois. His team averaged over 62 points a contest to stand as one of the top offensive teams in small college circles.

The encouraging note about the season was that the Iroquois played through a successful year with an all-freshman starting lineup. Besides Zelle, the principal scorers were freshmen Dick Hiffa, New York Mills, with 264 points; Jay "Corky" Ver Course, Webster, 192; Dick Fabbizzi, Amsterdam, 184; Hal Purdy, Norwich, 126; and Sophomore Rod Sagerdorf, Kingston, captain and leading scorer of the 1946-47 team that won 7 out of 23 games, 113 points.

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The Tribesmen, an inexperienced unit at the outset, started slowly but picked up considerably following Christmas vacation. They broke a 4-4 record with seven straight victories before losing to St. Bonaventure 64-50, their only defeat in 11 games at Oneonta.

The Iroquois closed out the season with four successive victories. Hartwick scored a grand total of 1379 points as compared to their opponents 1226. Teams that fell before the Oneontans during their winning streak were Susquehanna, Cortland, Alfred, Wagner, Panzer, and Mohawk twice. Additional decisions were gained over Triple Cities, Drew, St. Lawrence, Albany, Upstate, Oswego, and Wagner.

## BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT Y. M. C. A.

First Game 7:45 P. M.

Tues., March 16  
 Catskill A.C. vs. Rosendale  
 Stamford vs. Catskill Boys' Club

Thurs., March 18  
 Chez Emile vs. Highland  
 Fuller Sports vs. Coeyman's

Fri., March 19  
 Saugerties Aces vs. Wm. St. Social Club (Newburgh)  
 Milton vs. Stockport

Sat., March 20  
 Sickler's Delivery vs. Arlington A.C.  
 Cairo American Legion vs. Otto Clippers

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# Ulsters Retain Lead; Spada Hits 279 Single

## Ferraro's 684 Paces Leaders

Hotel Ulsters are one up with nine games to go in the torrid Hudson Valley Bowling League race today, following week-end developments in which they won two from Napanoch Shanleys, while Newburgh Shapira split in six games.

Newburgh Taxis moved into a tie for second place with the Shapira, one game off the pace while Middletown Lusterberg Nasts copped a pair of squeakers over Kingston Van Kleef's to hold third spot, two games behind the leaders.

**Ferraro Belts 684**  
Johnny Ferraro belted a tremendous 684 triple on the Ellenville drive to send his league average soaring to 200.44 but the other Ulsters were ineffectual in the local's two game win over the Shanleys.

Ferraro pounded out 236, 224 and 224. A pair of 10-pin "taps" and a "pocket split" in the middle set kept him under the 700 mark. High man for the Shanleys was Ray Klee with 200-592 and Al Millott posted 210.

Lusterberg Nasts routed Van Kleef's in the first game, 920-797, but won 19 and 10 pin victories in the last two games on the middle drive. "Po" Blumonte shot 197-569 and Emil Garbarino 212-568 for the Nasts. Charlie Crumenswald had 205-579 for Van's and Larry Petersen a 201.

**Hynes Cracks 1000**  
With "Taz" Spada firing a 279 solo, Hynes banged up a 1000 single in the third game of their match on alleys 15 and 16. The Shanleys copped three games with a healthy 2963 blist.

A 4-pin leave on a high hit robbed Spada of a possible 300. Larry Weisaupt contributed 243 and "Red" Sangi 217 in the big game.

Spada added 180 and 172 to his 279 for 640 and Weisaupt shot 193-186-243-624. John MacGellan had 209, Sangi 217 and C. Manfro 221. Top man for Saugerties was "Lottie" Cashman with 201-235. His only "200" games for the visitors.

**The scores:**  
Napanoch Shanley's (1)  
Fischer.....178 191 173 642  
Klee.....200 185 178 563  
Bennett.....189 171 179 539  
Kuykendall.....178 189 190 557  
Totals.....911 916 910 2760

**Metel Crier (2)**  
Tiano.....211 168 131 510  
Schultz.....178 158 145 481  
Brosilow.....171 171 159 481  
Ferreira.....236 234 224 694  
Totals.....911 916 910 2760

**Hynes (1)**  
J. Weisaupt.....193 188 243 624  
J. MacGellan.....189 171 179 539  
J. Sangi.....189 171 179 539  
C. Manfro.....221 217 209 647  
Totals.....911 916 910 2760

**Met. Marlon (10)**  
J. Kinsell.....131 190 144 465  
J. Cashman.....144 192 175 511  
J. Mauro.....144 192 175 511  
J. Greco.....144 192 175 511  
J. Campochiare.....144 192 175 511  
Totals.....131 190 144 465

**Lusterberg Nasts (3)**  
Garbarino.....175 212 181 568  
Blumonte.....197 181 191 569  
Blumonte.....197 181 191 569  
Garbarino.....175 212 181 568  
Totals.....175 212 181 568

**Van Kleef's (1)**  
Petersen.....145 173 201 519

## Bowling

Rose Schatzel set a new high single record of 248 for women in the Central Mixed League last night and added other scores of 145 and 216 for a 608 triple. Her 248 belted by a pin her own former record of 247.

Last night's results left SAC Lunch still leading the pack by two games. The high scores in the loop were Betty Boyce's 503; J. Schatzel 204; Mary Wyatt 169-484; Johnny Ferraro 201-213-233-647; A. Jansen 208-539; Marge Jansen 504; Fred Ferraro 202-201-568; J. Sangi 244-168-209-621.

**Sohn Belts 688**  
Eddie Sohn's 688 blist, scored in a 41-pin victory over the American Legion leggers in a special match on alleys 15 and 16. L. Havens also starred with 224-677 for the winners who posted 2659 against 3018 for the visitors. Vince Clearwater shot 218-549 and Mike Milano 203-548 for the American Legion.

**Tommy Amato shot 207-586** as Relux trounced George's A squad of Saugerties, 2700-2416, in a special match here. Chris Robinson furnished 201-563; Mike Amato 222-541 and Elwood Robinson 208-530. High man for Saugerties was H. Thornton with 213-574 and H. Christiana 212-523.

**Electrol League**  
Engineering (1)  
Hind.....130 130 130 390  
H. Rappaport.....130 130 130 390  
H. Rappaport.....130 130 130 390  
H. Rappaport.....130 130 130 390  
Totals.....130 130 130 390

**Other (2)**  
B. Devo.....141 116 187 424  
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B. Devo.....141 116 187 424  
Totals.....141 116 187 424

**Grinding (1)**  
R. Myers.....174 144 173 491  
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R. Myers.....174 144 173 491  
Totals.....174 144 173 491

**Tool Room (1)**  
F. Bonacci.....152 187 148 487  
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Totals.....152 187 148 487

**Tool Crib (1)**  
C. Craig, Jr.....138 157 150 445  
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C. Craig, Jr.....138 157 150 445  
Totals.....138 157 150 445

**Maintenance (1)**  
W. Schaefer.....120 160 168 448  
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Totals.....120 160 168 448

**Howard (1)**  
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Totals.....103 147 172 522

**St. Augustine, Fla.—Polly Riley**  
Fort Worth, Tex., won 20th annual Florida East Coast Women's Tournament with 4 and 3 victory over Peggy Kirk, Findlay, O.

**Jacksonville, Fla.—Chick Harbert**  
of Detroit won Jacksonville Invitational Golf Tournament with 72-hole score of 284.

**Iowa City, Ia.—Michigan**  
defeated Ohio State as big nine swimming champion with 62 points to 59.

**New Brunswick, N. J.—Rutgers**  
won Eastern Collegiate Swimming Association title for second straight year by amassing 82 points.

**Boxing**  
Charlottesville, Va.—University of Virginia's six finalists scored a sweep to capture 25th annual Eastern Intercollegiate Boxing Association title with 30 points, to take a leg on Edward J. Neil Memorial Trophy.

**West Point, N. Y.—Robert**  
Stout, Temple, successfully defended his all-around gymnastic title in 21st Annual Eastern Intercollegiate Championships. No team score was kept.

## Cheez Emile, Clippers Winners

The regular season wound up in the Y Basketball League Saturday, with Cheez Emile routing Miron Lumber, 71-25, and Kerhonskon Otto Clippers drubbing Potter Bros., 67-44.

Cheez Emile wound up its schedule with 16 wins and two defeats to qualify for the league championship playoff against Slicker's Delivery tonight at the municipal auditorium.

"Snitz" Houghtaling's 19 points powered Cheez Emile to a 33-11 halftime margin over Miron's. Ray Lindner tipped in 15, "Fink" McElrath 12 and Tony Albany 14. Dan Basch bucketed 14 for Miron's.

**Greene Scores 24**  
Percy Greene, Kerhonskon's high scoring forward, closed out the season with a 24-point spurge and Don Terwilliger dumped in 22. Al Nussbaum connected with nine buckets for the badly mauled Potters.

**The boxscores:**  
**Otto Clippers (87)**  
Greene, f.....9 6 24  
D. Terwilliger, f.....11 0 22  
C. Schoonmaker, c.....2 0 4  
McDonald, g.....6 1 13  
Gutkin, g.....2 0 4  
Totals.....30 7 67

**Potter Bros. (44)**  
Hughes, f.....5 0 10  
Koeppen, f.....3 0 6  
Tomson, c.....3 0 6  
Maxon, g.....3 0 6  
A. Nussbaum, g.....9 0 18  
Totals.....22 0 44

**Score at end of first half 37-10.**  
Referee, Lou Schafer. Time of halves, 16 minutes.

**Cheez Emile (71)**  
Albany, f.....7 0 14  
McElrath, f.....6 0 12  
Houghtaling, f.....9 1 19  
Blindhorst, c.....7 1 13  
Crosby, g.....3 1 7  
Murray, g.....0 0 0  
Ross, g.....0 0 0  
Totals.....34 3 71

**Miron Lumber (25)**  
A. Bahl, f.....0 0 0  
D. Basch, f.....6 2 14  
Kaplan, c.....2 0 4  
Kaplanian, g.....1 0 2  
Greenspan, g.....0 0 0  
M. Basch, g.....2 1 5  
Totals.....11 3 25

**Score at end of first half 33-11.**  
Referee, Lou Schafer. Time of halves, 16 minutes.

**Talbert-Bernard Face Big Tests**  
New York, March 15 (AP)—Bill Talbert of New York and Marcel Bernard of Paris, co-favorites in the National Indoor Tennis Tournament, face their first real tests today in the third round of singles competition.

The day's program following a Sunday layoff includes eight singles matches in each of the men's and women's divisions, designed to chop both fields to the quarter-finals.

Talbert, top-seeded among the U. S. entrants, takes on Henri Rochon of Montreal, Canadian Davis-cupper and fifth seeded foreign player.

Following an easy triumph in the opening round, Talbert needed less than 30 minutes Saturday to score a 6-1, 6-1 victory over Dr. Reginald S. Weir, only negro ever to play in a national tournament.

Rochon, on the other hand, barely squeaked past big Dick Seeler of Beltsore, N. Y., 4-6, 4-6.

Bernard, France's No. 1 player and top-seeded foreign star, tangles with Frank Bowden of Madison, N. J., seeded eighth among U. S. entrants.

**College Basketball**  
(By The Associated Press)  
**Saturday's Scores**  
National Invitation Tourney (Quarter-Finals)  
New York U., 45, Texas 43.  
DePaul 75, North Carolina State 64.

**N.A.I.B. Tourney:**  
Louisville 82, Indiana State 70, (championship).  
Hamilton 59, Xavier (Cincinnati) 58, (consolation).

**District Six N.C.A.A. playoff:**  
Baylor 64, Arizona 54 (Baylor wins best-of-3 series, 2-0).

**District Eight N.C.A.A. playoff** (also Pacific Coast Conference championship playoff):  
Washington 64, California 57, (consolation).

**Eastern Intercollegiate League:**  
Pennsylvania 44, Princeton 41.  
Yale 64, Harvard 53.  
Cornell 52, Dartmouth 45.  
Colored I.A.A. Tourney:  
West Virginia State 42, Howard U. 31, (championship).

**Virginia Union 39, North Carolina College 24, (consolation).**  
Midwest Negro Conference Tourney:  
Wilberforce U. College Education 69, Tenn. State 58, (championship).  
(Mo.) 74, Kentucky State 70, (third place).

**Wilberforce U., 52, Philander Smith 48, (consolation final).**  
Tenn. State 64, Lincoln (Mo.) 47, (semi-final).

**Wilberforce Education 50, Kentucky State 43, (semi-final).**  
Midwest Negro Conference Tourney:  
Oklahoma Aggies 57, Colorado 47.

**Queens (N.Y.) 53, Cooper Union 40.**

## Mont Pleasant Wins 53-29 Over Albany for "2" Title

### Old Reliable



Mont Pleasant's powerful basketball machine crushed Albany High, 53-29, in the finals of the Section 2 tournament in Troy Saturday night to set the stage for the epic clash against Kingston High next Saturday in Saratoga Springs.

The fabulous Schenectady high school quintet bagged its 57th victory in the last 58 games by polishing off Troy 52-42 in the semi-finals before dumping Albany.

A sensational foul shooting performance saved the Albanians from complete annihilation. The losers converted 21 out of 23 attempts but couldn't penetrate Mont Pleasant's defense for a basket until the last four minutes.

Brooklyn high scoring Dorpian center, led his squad with 13 points. The forwards, Aulinsno and Oudt, contributed 15 points. Bobek was high for Albany with nine.

**The boxscore:**  
**Mont Pleasant (53)**  
Aulinsno, f.....4 0 8  
Brooklyn, c.....3 3 7  
Killeen, g.....2 0 4  
Manikis, g.....2 0 4  
Gerardi, g.....1 1 3  
Schlipf, g.....0 2 2  
Suprunowicz, g.....0 2 2  
Lundgren, g.....0 0 0  
Trowbridge, g.....0 0 0  
Totals.....21 11 53

**Albany High (29)**  
Thorne, f.....1 1 3  
Brownstein, f.....0 3 3  
Bobek, f.....2 5 9  
Thibodeau, c.....0 1 1  
Wygant, g.....1 3 5  
Sauls, g.....0 0 1  
Lavianno, g.....0 7 7  
Knight, g.....0 0 0  
George, g.....0 0 0  
Totals.....4 21 29

**Score by periods:**  
Mont Pleasant.....12 24 37-53  
Albany.....4 9 16-29

Fouls committed, Mont Pleasant 19; Albany 16.

**Joe Shattan Wins Champlain Numeral**  
Plattsburg, N. Y.—Joe Shattan, Kingston, was awarded a numeral for participating on Champlain College's varsity quintet.

Shattan who joined the Bluejay cagers midway in the season showed plenty of improvement in his first year of intercollegiate basketball.

The Champlain courtmen ended the campaign with a favorable 16-7 record.

**President to Review St. Patrick's Parade**  
New York, March 15 (AP)—President Truman will review the St. Patrick's Day parade here Wednesday.

Sponsors of the Fifth Avenue march say it will be the first time in the long history of the parade that a President has been in the reviewing stand.

Mr. Truman also will speak at the dinner of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick in the city of New York, Wednesday night at the Hotel Astor.

Another in the reviewing stand at 5th avenue and 64th street will be Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination.

Dewey was invited to the dinner, but said he would not be able to attend.

John J. Sheahan, chairman, said yesterday he had received an acceptance from the President to an invitation to review the parade.

The parade will start at 1 p. m. (E.S.T.) at 5th avenue and 44th street and proceed to 98th street.

President Truman is scheduled to arrive by Pennsylvania railroad train at 12:15 p. m., Wednesday, and will have a military guard of honor.

His speech at the dinner and an address by Francis Cardinal Spellman will be televised and will have a radio network broadcast.

The President will return to Washington by train Wednesday night.

**List Net Regulations For Shad Fishing**  
Escapement Period. During the shad season, from March 15 to June 15, both dates inclusive, no nets shall be set, placed or drawn or allowed to remain in the Hudson river below the dam at Troy between 6 a. m., Eastern Standard Time, on Friday and 6 p. m., Eastern Standard Time, on the following Saturday, provided, however, that (a) fyke nets and scap nets may be set and operated at any time; (b) minnow nets may be set and operated to take bait fish at any time; (c) seines and stake-stop nets may be set and operated at any time from the Troy dam to the lighthouse at Esopus Meadows south of Kingston except in the channel of the river.

**Reports Are Unconfirmed**  
Cairo, March 15 (AP)—Officials here today checked radio reports that San'a, Yemen's capital, had been taken by Prince Ahmed, son of the assassinated Imam Yehia, Ahmed is one of two claimants to the throne. Press reports quoted a San'a broadcast yesterday saying Ahmed had been proclaimed the new Imam. The broadcast said that Ahmed, Yemenite representative in Cairo, said he had no confirmation of the reports. He said he had heard by cable Saturday that Ahmed's forces had entered San'a.

There were 319 active combatant vessels in the United States Navy on January 1, 1947.

## What About Oil?

Washington, March 15 (AP)—The oil shortage this winter caught both government and industry experts by surprise.

They had thought that after the war there would be only a gradual increase in the civilian consumption of petroleum products—which had been reduced about one-third through rationing.

They thought they had several years, at least, to prepare for any greatly increased demand.

But in September the shortage suddenly loomed up dead ahead. Instead of slowly easing upward, demand for oil had shot up almost vertically. Now the country is using about 5,700,000 barrels a day—700,000 more than at wartime peak.

The experts had been thinking in terms of gasoline and automobiles. They reasoned, according to Sidney A. Swendrud, executive vice-president of the Gulf Oil Corp., that fewer automobiles would be in use and there would be a slump in gasoline demand.

But by 1947 there were 1,021,000 more passenger cars on the road than in 1941. There were 55.6 per cent more trucks; 43.5 per cent more buses. The petroleum industry estimates 33 per cent more gasoline will be used in the first quarter of 1948 than in the same months of 1941.

What caught the oil men off guard? The enormous increase in the demand for petroleum products other than gasoline. Total demand for petroleum products jumped 53 per cent in the 7-year period.

Derivatives of crude oil which once were considered by-products chiefly accounted for the rise. Biggest increase, 85 per cent, has been in the demand for fuels used in home oil burners, in Diesel engines and jet propulsion engines.

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**So They Say... —BARBS—**  
BY HAL COCHRAN  
Butchers have all kinds of meat now. Swill—if we only had all kinds of money.

Some parents still remember when keeping a daughter in clothes was merely a financial problem.

The world's sugar shortage appears to be passed; says the government. Not meaning that sugar should be passed too freely, since production still is below prewar level.

The main issue decided in most arguments is who can argue the best.

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## Labor Relations Parley Scheduled On Printers' Bids

New York, March 15 (AP)—The city's Labor Relations Division sought again today to settle a dispute between commercial printing shop employers and New York Typographical Union No. 6 over working conditions.

Representatives of both sides held a five-hour discussion yesterday, and another was called for today by Theodore W. Kheel, director of the Labor Relations Division.

No statement on result of yesterday's meeting was issued. Woodruff Randolph, president of the International Typographical Union (A.F.L.), to which the New York local belongs, was expected to be present at today's meeting for the third successive day.

The New York union voted 4,001 to 400 on Saturday to consider the posting of changed working conditions by employers in 150 job, book and magazine printing shops as a "lockout."

Randolph, Laurence H. Victory, president of the New York union, and Kheel, who is also president of the I.T.U., continued negotiations yesterday with a committee of the Printers League section of the New York Employing Printers Association.

The local's "lockout vote" is subject to sanction by the I.T.U. executive council of which Randolph is president. Such sanction, followed by a final three-fourths vote of approval by the local union membership, is required before a lockout decision can result in a sanctioned work stoppage.

The I.T.U.'s contracts expired Dec. 31, and the employers last week posted new working conditions, including extension of the week from 36 1/2 to 40 hours.

The employers seek a guarantee that any new contract will hold for one year. The union wants a 60-day termination clause, which it contends is required to protect it from any undermining of union conditions through application of the Taft-Hartley law.

The union contends the new working conditions will work week arbitrarily abolished seniority and procedure and seniority, and opened the way to hiring non-union employees.

## Bidault Declares

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gum. Holland and Luxembourg already have agreed to a suggestion that German representatives sit in on the Paris meeting. Clary said they would not be full-fledged participants but advisers to American and British representatives of the combined U. S.-British zones.

Bidault told the delegates: "Europe was torn apart in June of 1947 by the refusal to cooperate, which Mr. Stalin and myself were not able to prevent, despite all our efforts. That division has become aggravated today in a manner as fearsome as it is unfortunate."

"Recent events, present in the minds of all, show with dramatic spectacularity the reasons why Europe is now—temporarily if we have our wish—reduced to the 16 countries present here."

Bidault said political difficulties have widened since the 16 Marshall Plan nations first met, and economic difficulties have grown. Bidault talked with Catterly before reading his address. The ambassador appeared to have left as the meeting began.

Bidault announced a proposal "that the Anglo-American zone and the French zone (of Germany) should be fully associated with the work of our continuing organization."

"I think the world might be assured that this organization is not a conference but a workshop," he said. "It will be charged with the duty of determining practical steps to build up European production and to promote European exports, and in particular to establish an equilibrium with the western hemisphere and so to reduce the dollar deficit."

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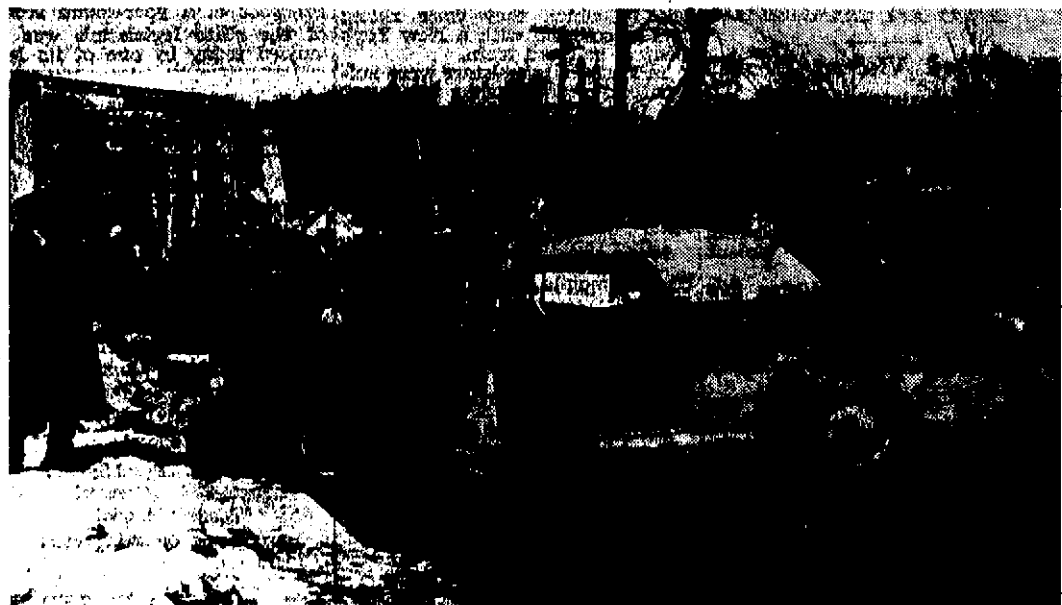
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## County Doctor Injured in Crash



Dr. Virgil DeWitt of New Paltz was sent to the Kingston Hospital as a result of a three-car collision early Friday afternoon on the south end of the bridge, Route 32, Rosendale. The above photo shows the DeWitt vehicle following the crash. (Freeman Photo)

## Federation ...

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with these land-lustful fiends, is not in the field of economics but in the realm of ethics. Snyder declared "the great difference is between man, not nations. The present leaders of Russia are for the most part, red handed, slave capturing, and sub-human murderers."

Scored 'Sacred Cow'

The noted lecturer also scored President Truman's continued use of "The Sacred Cow" name of his personal aircraft, and added that he had gone to all possible ends in an effort to have the President cease using that name for his aircraft. "In world affairs Uncle Sam is held back by an obesity caused by synthetic piety. The President flies about in an aircraft called 'The Sacred Cow'."

"This is a direct affront to the Hindu religion," Snyder added. "For many months," he stated, "thousands of people have pleaded with the President to take steps to remove this sub-cultured name. To this date the name is still used. His aides claim that it is a mere nickname. If so, it has nicked the name of the President and will leave a sorry scar in history."

Snyder then voiced an appeal to his listeners to have them use their efforts to stop the use of the name. "I have exhausted every appeal," he said.

Other extracts from Mr. Snyder's address Sunday morning included:

"We must recognize Stalin and his gang for what they really are. They use Oriental forms of diplomacy or resort to the utmost brutality. The goal is world domination by revolution. Our aims have been to establish International justice, seeking cooperation, not amalgamation. The two programs can have nothing in common."

"The minute Russia erected an iron curtain, she should have been thrown out of the United Nations. It is time for America to stand up to size. We have been held up with a glass pistol. These Red bandits are out to steal the world by poisonous penetration. They can be stopped without the violence of war."

'Bigotry Must End'

Touching upon the Communism service in the sanctuary prior to his breakfast, Snyder said "it is inspiring to meet at the altar with this federated group. All roads that lead upward will eventually meet at the top. We must guard against bigotry." Revelling a passage from the book "Emerald Isle" the speaker quoted by saying "The book was printed in Ireland 150 years ago and it included this dramatic indictment of bigotry—'bigotry has no head and cannot think, no heart and cannot feel. When she moves it is in wrath, her prayers are curses, her God is a demon and her communion is death.'"

Speaking briefly on the 1948 presidential election, Mr. Snyder told the men that it is a delusion to think that any change in politics will swiftly remedy our national ills. "Any change will achieve but little," he said, "because the administration is only as good as the people governed." He quoted from William Penn who once said "If men be good, no government can be bad."

Urging his listeners to go all-out for religion and what it stands for, the guest speaker said that the "church is not a deep freeze for the preservation of a few saints. It is a work shop and it is a place for sharpening the tools with which to make a life. A few remain away from church services because they fear they would be classed as hypocrites. They should be reminded that a hypocrite is one who has no desire to be the man he pretends to be. God is not quailing for moral light rogues. He wants men who will step back on the moral line as swiftly as they left it. The church is a place for

walking away the cluttering clay of the world."

'Needs Modern Moses'

The speaker who voiced the need of a modern Moses to lead us back to the concept of a personal God who will protect us from the fury of atomic power.

"The destiny of all men is eternity," he said. "Regardless of his aims on this planet, man is doomed to die. God will readily forgive our wrong doings. We can expect Him to excuse our short-comings—holding out when we have a lot to give, short in the giving of aid to the needy, short in acts of kindness and consideration. God will make no effort to remove the opportunities to be your best."

In conclusion the speaker left a vital question for his listeners to answer when he stated "Let us rejoice that man still keeps the upward reach. The path to peace is still open. This year the Easter story will be more vibrant than ever. Since God means so much to you, can't you be of larger service to Him?"

Communion Service

The Rev. J. Dean Dykstra, pastor of Fair Street Reformed Church, and the Rev. Raymond J. Pontier, pastor of the Reformed Church of the Comforter, officiated during the impressive Communion service in the sanctuary.

Other clergymen of the city seated in the chancel were the Rev. Edward V. Winder, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist Church; the Rev. William J. McVey, pastor of First Presbyterian Church; the Rev. Burton F. Tarr, D.D., superintendent of the Kingston Methodist District; the Rev. Harry E. Christians, pastor of the First Reformed Church; the Rev. E. W. Osterhout Phillips, D.D., pastor of Ponckhockie Congregational Church; the Rev. Dr. William Carner Calhoun, pastor of Roundout Presbyterian and Wurts Street Baptist Church; the Rev. William R. Peckham, pastor of Clinton Avenue Methodist Church; and the Rev. Merrill C. Johnson, pastor of St. James Methodist Church.

The Mendelssohn Club, under the direction of Vernon Miller, rendered "Jerusalem," by Parry; and "Thanks Be to Thee," by LeFebvre, during the service. Samuel Scudder, accompanist, was guest organist.

The Communion breakfast was handled by members of the Endracht Guild, with Mrs. Howard Shurtler, president. Other organizations of the church assisted.

Meyers Is Given

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of the company, but later said he was only a "dummy" for Meyers.

Meyers arrived at the court room 15 minutes before the time set for his sentencing.

For the first time he seemed to have lost some of that jaunty air he kept throughout the senate investigation and during his trial. As he came up the court house steps he kept his head down. Much of the old count seemed gone. Meyers' pretty blonde wife, the former movie actress Ila Ray Curran, was absent from the courtroom as her husband was sentenced. She also remained away during most of the three-week trial, but was on hand when the jury brought in its verdict last week.

Reason for Light Sentence

In a court room statement, Holtzoff gave what amounted to the explanation of why he had not imposed a longer sentence. He said the three counts on which Meyers was convicted involved substantially the same offense.

While the possible penalty under each count was 10 years, he added, that was under a special District of Columbia statute, whereas the general penalty for perjury is five years.

Bushnell, asking a "light sentence" read wartime citations to Meyers when he received the Distinguished Service Cross and Legion of Merit.

The Army stripped these decorations from Meyers after senate investigators developed the story of his private wartime business deals through which the army officer was getting rich.

"Despite smears and gibes of the prosecution," Bushnell said, "this defendant has had an exceptional and honorable record in the army of the United States."

"No matter how much he has been buried under seas of mud, his record in the army of his country during the war—a record that left him a nervous wreck—still stands."

Holtzoff said Meyers' "position and responsibility as an army officer is an aggravating circumstance."

Bushnell filed a motion for a new trial but it was abruptly turned down by the court.

## Holy Name Holds

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citizens in seeking that these radical elements do not gain control."

The guest speaker added that we of the United States have the fine consolation of knowing that God is on our side, and that we shall continue to have God on our side just as long as our elected officials in city, state and nation are men who have faith in God and faith in the kind of democracy that has made America the land of free men.

In closing Father Kuhn quoted from the Holy Name hymn by the late Cardinal O'Connell. "Fierce is the fight for God and Right. Sweet Name of Jesus, in Thee is our might."

Cites Peril to Nation

Another urgent warning was voiced by the Right Rev. Stephen P. Connolly, the first speaker, who called attention to the perilous position in which the Holy Name is placed today, and warned of the catastrophic consequences that would follow in the event of the seizure of the Vatican by the Communists.

William F. Leehive, county president, brought a message from the diocesan headquarters of the Holy Name, recommending observance of Nocturnal Adoration on Holy Thursday, offering prayers for Divine help in the present crisis.

The Rev. John D. Simmons, spiritual director, stressed the importance of Christian unity in order that all Christians might form a united front in meeting the onslaught of the forces of evil.

Dennis E. Fennelly, president of the society, introduced James P. Byrne, who acted as toastmaster.

Last Evangelical Lutheran Lenten Service Is Planned

The sixth and final Wednesday Lenten service at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 355 Hasbrouck avenue, will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Next week the Wednesday service will be omitted and instead the Lenten service will be held Holy Thursday evening with the celebration of the Lord's Supper, and on Good Friday at the same hour.

As usual the Passion History will be read this week in its sixth part and a penitential psalm will be recited.

The old traditional Lenten hymns of all the centuries will be sung and the choir will be under the direction of Herman LaTour, director, and Miss M. Marquart, organist, will render a special anthem.

The pastor, Dr. O. L. Schreier, will preach on the theme "Hating Jesus Without a Cause."

All are cordially invited to worship at this special service.

Application Postponed

The morning in County Court the application of Charles Kellerhouse, now serving time at Clinton State Prison under a conviction for grand larceny, was postponed until Thursday at 10 o'clock in order to allow the petitioner time to secure counsel. Kellerhouse seeks to have the conviction set aside on the grounds he was not advised of his constitutional rights at the time of the conviction in 1931. He alleges he was not represented by counsel at the time of conviction.

Organization Formed

New York, March 15 (AP)—Formation of a People for Eisenhower organization was announced today by Torrey Stearns, former New York city advertising executive. Stearns said the move was being undertaken without Eisenhower's knowledge. He said he never had met the general and declined to state why this time was chosen for formation of a new draft-Eisenhower movement.

Car Catches Fire

A 1939 automobile owned by Philip Cohen of 24 Hone street caught fire on Hunter street between Wurts and Hone streets at 8:15 p. m. Saturday, the fire department reported. The fire, which was out on the arrival of Engine 2 of Cornell station, was caused by a short circuit in the wiring under the dash, according to Deputy Fire Chief George Matthews.

MacArthur Headquarters

New York, March 15 (AP)—Headquarters for the New York State Veterans Committee for Gen. Douglas MacArthur for President were opened at Room 1709, 220 East 42nd street. The room is in the office of Frederick A. Sansome, named last week as temporary chairman of the MacArthur-for-President Club.

## Two Packers Turn Down C.I.O. Bid

Swift, Cudahy Say 'No' to Arbitration Over Wage Proposal

Chicago, March 15 (AP)—Two of three major meat packers turned down yesterday an offer to arbitrate their wage dispute with the C.I.O. United Packinghouse Workers who have called a nationwide strike for 12:01 a. m. tomorrow.

The arbitration proposal was sent to Swift & Company, the Cudahy Packing Company and Armour & Company but Swift and Cudahy quickly rejected. They said they were standing pat on their offer of a nine-cent an hour wage boost.

The union, which had originally demanded a 20-cent an hour increase for its 100,000 members, said it would call off the strike if the companies would accept arbitration of the 20 cents difference.

Armour has not replied to the proposal but the union said it would arbitrate with that company alone if it accepted. Ralph Helstein, union president, said the offer will be kept open until midnight tonight, one minute before the strike is scheduled to start. The proposal, he added, provides that the companies agree to immediate payment of their nine-cent offer retroactive to January 12.

In turning down arbitration, Swift said it considers the nine cents a "fair wage increase," and added it recently had come to terms with the A.F.L. Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America on that basis. The company said that about 40 per cent of its employees are members of the A.F.L. union.

Federal conciliators called another meeting for 10 a. m. (C.S.T.) today in an effort to avert the strike which industry sources estimated would cut the nation's meat supply by 50 per cent and affect most consumers within a few days.

Helstein said that two thirds of the union's members now receive less than \$10 an hour.

In the event of a strike tomorrow, a Swift spokesman said its 18 other plants throughout the nation and those of other companies would attempt to step up production with the help of the A.F.L. unions.

Wilson and Company, with which the union also had been negotiating, had withdrawn its offer of the nine-cent increase and was not included in the union's arbitration offer.

## Iowa Couple Head Toward Home Again

Boone, Ill., March 15 (AP)—A 17-year-old youth who entered the home of a girl friend at Nauvoo, Ill., took her away at gunpoint and fled in an auto, headed back toward Nauvoo today instead of toward California, as they had planned.

The couple, Edward Arnold, and Joann Klingemuehler, 15, told highway patrolman Gerald Fisk who picked them up near here yesterday, they planned to be married and go to California.

Fisk said the girl declared she went with Arnold willingly. Arnold said he "didn't hold the gun on the girl, only on her father."

The father, Waiseang Klingemuehler, had objected to the girl dating Arnold because "they were too young."

Arnold told Fisk "Joann's father refused to let me take her out for a Sunday drive. I pointed a .22 rifle at him and said: 'I'm going to take her anyway. She wants to go.'"

Klingemuehler told Nauvoo authorities Arnold had said he planned to take the girl to his sister's house at Keokuk, Iowa, for dinner. He said the boy warned him that if police were notified he would kill both the girl and himself.

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hike, said "they looked all right and were in good spirits."

At the scene of the crash, the river runs between steep place-covered banks. The ice was rough. State police were posted at the plane.

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## Ohio Woman Refuses Any U.S. 'War Tax'

Yellow Springs, Ohio, March 15 (AP)—Mrs. Caroline Urie is a Pacifist. So she paid only 65.4 per cent of her 1947 federal income tax today.

Mrs. Urie, white-haired widow of a career navy officer, figures the rest of her tax was earmarked for military expenses.

"As a Christian, I must be forthright in my refusal to contribute in any way to maintaining the institution of war," she wrote President Truman and the Internal Revenue Department.

Mrs. Urie didn't keep the 34.6 per cent "war tax." She sent the money to four Pacifist organizations (every one of them non-profit) and enclosed her contribution receipts with the tax return.

"If they want to send me the 34.6 per cent, that's all right with me," she said. "I'll never pay any more money for war."

Mrs. Urie describes herself as "a Quaker, a Pacifist, a social worker and a white-haired widow—a very aged widow, at that."

Arthritis keeps her in bed most of the time now, but years ago she was an associate of Jane Addams in Chicago's famed Hull House.

"It's the principle that's important to me," she added. "Obedience to governmental authority can not be unlimited."

(At Washington, the Internal Revenue Department said the law prevented public discussion of any individual's tax matter. One spokesman, however, commented: "It's our job to collect taxes according to the law as written.")

## Palestinian Battle

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and cost the lives of 10 Arabs. They said many fortified houses were blasted.

Police reports here showed only two Jews and an Arab slain in that region yesterday.

They listed a little Jewish girl killed near Tiberias on the Sea of Galilee and another Jew shot dead near Beersheba in the south, both in convoy attacks.

A correspondent with the Arab volunteer army reported its new military courts began a purge yesterday of Arabs charged with dealing with the Jews. He said 100 Arabs are on a list to be hunted down, tried and, if convicted, hanged.

A Jewish agency spokesman, reporting on Haganah efforts to keep Jewish manpower in Palestine for defense, said Haganah guards watch travel agencies for Jews 17 to 45 trying to book space on airplanes leaving the Holy Land. If they can not persuade the prospective travelers to stay in Palestine, he said, they use "stronger measures."

"We consider the Jews in Palestine are at war," the agency spokesman said. "No Jew without a good excuse could expect to be permitted to shirk his duty in wartime."

A United States consular source said an official objection has been made to the Jewish agency on account of young American Jews kept from leaving Palestine.

Airlines have reported hundreds of passengers barred from airports by Haganah patrols after booking seats.

Cars Are Damaged

Two cars were damaged when they sideswiped on the Washington avenue viaduct at 2:45 a. m. today, the police reported. One car, driven towards Kingston by Robert Earl Hunt of 72 Prince street, received damage to its left front fender, left rear fender and hub cap. The other was proceeding toward the town of Ulster, driven by Leo P. Fogarty of 29 Abbey street, and received damage to its left front fender and tire, the police said. There were no personal injuries reported.

In Slam, monkeys are made to bite coins to see if they are counterfeit.

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## Ellenville Police Examination May 8

Last Date for Filing Applications April 24

An open competitive examination for police patrolman for the village of Ellenville will be held at 10 a. m. in the Ellenville High School on May 8 by the Ulster County Civil Service Commission. The last date for filing applications is April 24 and applications may be secured from the Ulster County Civil Service Commission at 32 Main street, Kingston, or from Miss Alice I. Moffitt, Ellenville village clerk.

The position pays from \$1,800 to \$2,300, the appointment being made at \$1,800 with five annual \$100 increments. At present one vacancy exists and those who are placed on the eligible list may be called for future vacancies.

Opportunity to join the 25-year retirement plan, a two-weeks vacation with pay and two-weeks sick allowance are among the advantages of the job. Those eligible to take the examination must have been a resident of Ulster county for a year and a resident of Ellenville for six months immediately preceding the examination. The applicants must be not less than 21 years of age and not more than 35 at the time of the written examination.

Hearing Tonight

Karl Huber of Kerhonkson was arrested at that place Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Gillman on a disorderly conduct charge. He was booked at the county jail early Sunday morning and hearing is scheduled for tonight before Peace Justice Willard H. Peet, town of Wawarsing.

Reports Dog Wounded

Mrs. Jack S. Lee of 16 Stokely avenue reported to police Saturday afternoon that her dog had been shot in his rear leg by an air rifle. Patrolmen James Burns and Earl Schommaker, who investigated, reported that the use of air rifles is widespread in that area. The police will check on this condition.

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## Freeman Ads Bring Results

## Bretagna Is Held By Boston Police

Brooklyn Gunman, 28, Accused of Slaying Benjamin Weiner

Boston, March 15 (AP)—Santo Bretagna, 28-year-old Brooklyn, N. Y., gunman, was held by police today for the ambush-slaying of a one-time associate of the Murder, Inc., mob last January 13.

Detective James Neylon of New York and Detective Capt. Francis J. Hennessy of Boston seized Bretagna in a downtown cafe last night on a warrant charging him with the murder of Benjamin (Chippy) Weiner.

Assistant District Attorney Louis A. Pagnucco of New York said Bretagna waived extradition after being booked by Boston police as a fugitive from justice and will be returned to New York today.

Bretagna, described by the New York authorities as a "trigger-happy" ex-convict, was arrested while he sat drinking beer with two attractive women. The cafe was surrounded by Boston and New York detectives armed with shotguns and tear gas.

Pagnucco said the gunman was traced to Bridgeport, Conn., Hartford, Conn., and then to Everett, Mass., where he allegedly was living with one of the women.

The woman and her friend admitted knowing the ex-convict and had agreed to point Bretagna out at the prearranged meeting. Neylon and Hennessy arrested the man without a struggle. He was unarmed and had only \$1.30 in his pockets.

Weiner, 43, was shot to death in his lower East Side apartment as he sat eating with his infant son while his wife was out. Mrs. Weiner, who police said left the house 15 minutes before the shooting, has been held as a material witness. A 26-year-old truck driver, Carmine Rastelli, who the New York district attorney's office said has admitted harboring Bretagna for a time, also is held as a material witness in \$50,000 bail.

New York District Attorney Frank S. Hogan ordered the search for Bretagna February 16 after learning Weiner had told an associate he was "going to cut Bretagna out of his share" of loot in a \$30,000 New Jersey hi-jacking.

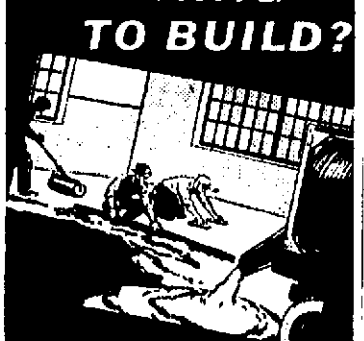
Hogan said five persons participated in the hi-jacking, and added: "We know Weiner was one. Bretagna was another."

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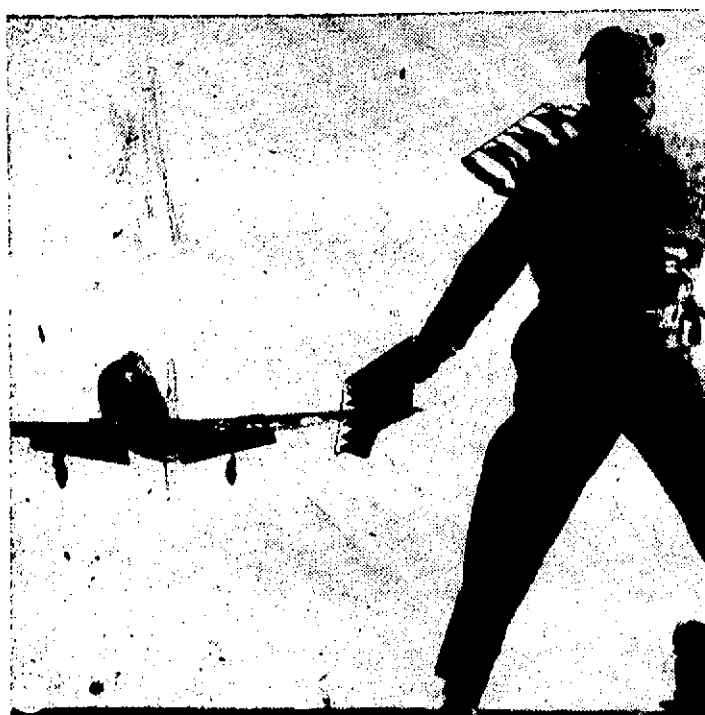
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A landing officer gives the "cut" signal to the FJ-1 jet pilot completing the first take-off and landing operation of a jet plane from a carrier. Tests were made at sea aboard the USS Boxer. (NEA Telephoto)

## Navy Air Arm Converts To Speedy Jet Fighters

Aboard USS Boxer, at sea, March 15 (AP)—The Navy's sea-going air arm is in the process of conversion to 10-mile-a-minute jet planes.

This was announced today by the Navy following history-making trials aboard this big Essex-class aircraft carrier last week, when for the first time Navy jet fighters operated from a carrier flight deck under routine conditions at sea.

The Navy said it expects the use of jets will have been expanded throughout the fleet within a year. Initially only fighters will be jet propelled.

Already the Navy has two jet fighter squadrons in commission, one on the Pacific coast and one in the Atlantic. Fighting Squadron 5-A in the Pacific is using the North American "Fury," designated the FJ-1. Fighting 17-A in the Atlantic uses McDonnell FH-1's.

The successful carrier tests for jet aircraft aboard the Boxer were the first of their kind. The Royal Air Force as long ago as December 1945 successfully made one experimental launching with a jet. Recently naval experiments were conducted under special test conditions. But until last Wednesday there had been no jet operations at sea under normal carrier conditions and with service pilots.

The 10-mile-a-minute FJ-1's thundered on and off the Boxer's flight deck with ease. They were launched successfully both under their own power and by catapult. But despite the 4000-pound thrust developed by the FJ-1's straight ram duct engine, it was apparent the slow acceleration of the jet-propelled plane would be a handicap under its own power as routine procedure. This is a handicap inherent in all present jet propulsion.

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## Week-End Ruins Refresh California

San Francisco, March 15 (AP)—Week-end rains refreshed California's drought parched lands but the power shortage remained critical.

A spokesman for the Pacific Gas & Electric Co. said "the power shortage was not solved" by rains totaling an inch or so in much of the state.

The only tangible result was a temporary slight decrease in use of electricity for irrigation pumping, he explained.

The state went on daylight saving time yesterday to save power. The rains, welcomed by agriculturists, were insufficient. They said at least two inches are needed to soak the soil.

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## Five in Family Die in Accident

Week-End Violent Deaths Toll Upstate Is 12

Albany, N. Y., March 15 (AP)—Five members of one family were among seven persons killed in two upstate New York automobile-train collisions over the week-end.

The two-day toll of violent deaths was 12. A grade crossing collision five miles west of Rochester yesterday claimed the lives of George Sauter, 42, and four members of his family, and injured critically a sixth.

Sheriff's deputies identified the other victims as Sauter's wife, Elizabeth, 43; their daughters, Elaine, 10, and Mrs. Catherine Beach, 23, and a granddaughter, Caroline Beach, 1.

A son, Edward Sauter, 20, was injured critically.

The Sauters lived in Churchville. Mrs. Beach and her daughter resided in Montezuma.

The car wreckage was carried more than 1,500 feet by the east-bound New York Central express and mail train. A signal block arch tore the wreckage loose from the locomotive.

Monroe County Deputies Raymond Sanford and Harold Gaffney said a westbound train had cleared the signal-blocker crossing when the car apparently proceeded into the path of the eastbound train. There were no eyewitnesses.

Near Palmyra, Mrs. Margaret

Casswell, 60, and her son-in-law Fred Kenneth Lopau, 50, were killed Saturday when the automobile in which they were riding was in collision with a New York Central railroad train.

In Buffalo, two sisters were suffocated yesterday when fire swept the frame dwelling in which they were sleeping. A third sister was overcome by smoke.

The dead were Donna Jeanne Harding, 11-months, and Sharon Lee, two. The condition of Janet Marie, nine, is "fair."

Other fatalities by communities: Holley—Lewis Merrill, about 55, automobile and tractor-trailer collided.

Each—Walter A. Myers, 19, Dundee, car and tractor-trailer collided.

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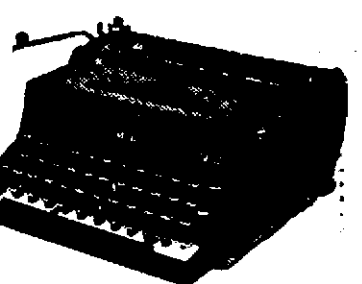
ers. House Majority Leader Hugh L. McIntire (R-Gloucester) said "it may be necessary for us to work right through" because of the "terribly difficult" task of implementing the new constitution.

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